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PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

Ootacamund, June 23, 1886.

LEAVE.

No. 205.—Surgeon-Major C. J. McNally, M.D., Chemical Examiner, Madras, privilege leave for two months and twenty-seven days from or after the 12th July 1886, under section 74 of the Civil Leave Code.

No. 206.—Surgeon-Major John Lancaster, M.B., District Surgeon, Chittoor, privilege leave for one month and eighteen days from or after the 20th July 1886, under section 74 of the Civil Leave Code.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 207.—Surgeon Herbert St. Clare Carruthers, Civil Surgeon, Tellicherry, to act as Civil Surgeon and Superintendent of Jail, Madura, during the absence of Dr. F. C. Smith.

No. 208.—Second-grade Apothecary Oliver Wentworth Jones, M.D., to act as Civil Surgeon, Tellicherry, during the employment of Dr. Carruthers on other duty.

PATENTS.

No. 209.—Notice is hereby given that there have been received in the office of the Chief Secretary to Government, where any of them may be inspected at all reasonable times on payment of a fee of one rupee, copies of the specifications of the inventions of which the following are brief descriptions :—

(By Messrs. James Howard and Edward Tenney Bonsfield, Agricultural Engineers, both of Bedford, England)—"Improvements in railway sleepers and chairs."

(By Mr. James Andrew Ramsay Main, Engineer, of 54, Gordon Street, Glasgow, in the County of Lanark, North Britain, and Mr. John Dick, Engineer, of 218, Saracen Street, Glasgow)—"Improvements in withering and drying leaves of plants, seeds, and analogous substances and in apparatus therefor and connected therewith."

(By Mr. Walter Macfarlane, Engineer, of Saracen Foundry, Possilpark, Glasgow, in the County of Lanark, North Britain)—"Improvements in closets and urinals."

(By Hafiz Fakeer Mahomed of Roorkee)—"Improvements in sugar-cane cru shing mills."

Ootacamund, June 16, 1886.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 203.—Notice is hereby given that on the 3rd February 1886 the undermentioned property, valued in all Rupees 180-9-0, was found near the burial-ground at a distance from the temple of Agasti Iswaraswamy, in the village of Irakam, in Gudur Taluk, Nellore District :—

List of Property.

	Value. RS.	A.	P.
A big idol of mixed metal, 6 maunds weight	150	0	0
A small idol of mixed metal, 2½ viss weight	15	0	0
Cumbarthi, copper, 1½ viss ..	3	0	0
Tirthanattu, ½ viss, copper ..	1	0	0
Copper sandals (a pair), ½ viss ..	2	0	0
One bell, 4 pollams	0	1	0
Cumbarthi thattalu (two) of one metal	4	0	0
One plate made of bell-metal, ½ viss..	0	8	0
One metallic plate for cumbarthi, 2½ viss	5	0	0
Total ..	180	9	0

All persons claiming the treasure or any part thereof are required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector on the 1st October 1886 at Nellore and establish their claims to it.

PAPERS FOR PRESS.

No. 210.—The following list of papers placed at the disposal of the press on the 18th June 1886 is published for general information :—

No. on the List.	Department.	Subject.
1	Judicial ..	Communicating to the Inspector-General, for very careful consideration and attention, the final decision of the Government of India as to the extent to which effect should be given to the orders contained in their Resolution of 22nd September 1882 regarding jail manufactures.
2	Financial ..	Municipal Budget.—Reviewing the Cuddapah — for 1886-87.
3	,, ..	Municipal Budget.—Reviewing the revised budget of the Ramnad Municipality for 1886-87.
4	,, ..	Local Fund Budget.—Reviewing the — of the Bellary District for 1886-87.
5	,, ..	Sanitation.—Approving the arrangements made for the — of the Chittoor town, and sanctioning an allotment of funds for expenditure in that union.
6	Revenue ..	Babul Pods and Bark.—Papers regarding — shipped to London by Messrs. Arbuthnot and Company, ordered to be placed on Editors' table.
7	,, ..	Implements and Machinery.—Statement of — which have met with marked success during the year 1882-83 to 1884-85, forwarded to the Government of India.
8	,, ..	Analysis of Ragi—made by Dr. McNally, communicated to certain authorities.
9	Public Works..	Registrar's Office.—Estimate for constructing a — at Cuddapah, sanctioned.

N.B.—A copy of any of the foregoing papers can be obtained, on payment, on application to the Superintendent, Government Press.

E. F. WEBSTER,
Chief Secretary.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

Ootacamund, June 23, 1886.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 242.—Lieutenant-Colonel William Sim McLeod to act as Inspector-General of Jails during the absence of Mr. Grimes on leave, or until further orders.

No. 243.—Surgeon Robert Pemberton, Civil Surgeon, Vellore, to act as Superintendent of the Central Jail, Vellore, during the absence of Lieutenant-Colonel William Sim McLeod, or until further orders, without prejudice to his other duties.

BELLARY.

No. 244.—M.R.Ry. G. Sitaram Lall to be Sub-Registrar of Alur. This cancels the appointment of C. Seethayya Naidu in the *Fort St. George Gazette* dated 28th May 1886, Part I.

INVESTITURE OF POWERS.

No. 245.—Under section 12 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, the undermentioned officer is appointed to be a Magistrate of the First Class and to exercise the ordinary and special powers conferred by sections 36 and 37 and described in schedules III and IV respectively :—

M.R.Ry. K. Venkatachellam Pantulu, Temporary Deputy Collector in the district of Kistna.

No. 246.—Under section 12 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, the undermentioned officers are appointed to be Magistrates of the Second Class and to exercise the ordinary and special powers conferred by sections 36 and 37 and described in schedules III and IV respectively :—

M.R.Ry. L. Rama Chandriah, Deputy Tahsildar of Talavadi in the taluk of Satyamangalam in the district of Coimbatore.

M.R.Ry. P. Tandoni Rau, Sarishtadar of the taluk of Satyamangalam in the district of Coimbatore.

M.R.Ry. S. Krishnaiyar, Sarishtadar of the taluk of Kollegal in the district of Coimbatore.

M.R.Ry. V. Lakshmana Rau, Sarishtadar of the Taluk of Nannilam, in the District of Tanjore.

M.R.Ry. T. Venkatasubbarayadu Pantulu, Acting Deputy Tahsildar of Vissannapett Division in the district of Kistna.

M.R.Ry. C. Arumugam Pillai, Deputy Tahsildar of Palamcottah Division in the district of Tinnevelly.

No. 247.—Under section 12 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, the undermentioned officers are appointed to be Magistrates of the Third Class and to exercise the ordinary and special powers conferred by sections 36 and 37 and described in schedules III and IV respectively :—

M.R.Ry. V. Jagganadham Pantulu, Acting Sarishtadar of the taluk of Sarvasiddhi in the district of Vizagapatam.

M.R.Ry. S. Rungaswami Venkataroyalu Nayudu, Acting Sarishtadar of the Taluk of Hosur, in the District of Salem.

No. 248.—Under section 14 of the Presidency Small Cause Court Act of 1882, Mr. P. Ranganathan Mudaliar, Acting Registrar of the Court of Small Causes, Madras, is invested with the powers of a Judge under the Act for the trial of suits in which the amount or value of the subject matter does not exceed twenty rupees.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 249.—With reference to Notification No. 168, published at page 407 of the *Fort St. George Gazette* of the 28th April 1886, it is hereby notified that the Governor-General in Council has, under section 78 of the Indian Registration Act 1877, approved of the proviso therein published to be added to article 4 of the table of fees, as follows :—

"Provided also that no fee for the search for, or inspection of, any number of entries or documents under this article shall exceed Rs. 10 when such entries and documents relate to one and the same property."

E. F. WEBSTER,
Chief Secretary.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

Ootacamund, June 23, 1886.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 35.—Miss E. Carr, Superintendent, Government Female Normal School, Madras, to act as Inspectress of Girls' Schools during the absence of Mrs. Isabel Brander on privilege leave, or until further orders.

No. 36.—Miss Bernard, First Assistant, to act as Superintendent, Government Female Normal School, during the employment of Miss Carr on other duty, or until further orders.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 37.—With reference to Notification No. 25 published on pages 305—310 of the *Fort St. George Gazette* of the 7th April last, it is hereby notified that a Syllabus of Horticulture has been substituted for the Syllabus of Botany No. 33. The Syllabus of Horticulture will therefore be adopted as the basis of examination.

E. F. WEBSTER,
Chief Secretary.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

Ootacamund, June 23, 1886.

LEAVE.

No. 14.—Lieutenant J. H. Taylor, R.N.R., Port Officer, Madras, privilege leave up to the 15th August next, under section 138 of the Civil Leave Code.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 15.—Mr. T. E. Marshall, Assistant Port Officer, to act as Port Officer, Madras, during the absence of Lieutenant J. H. Taylor on leave, or until further orders.

No. 16.—Mr. W. H. Bartlett, Examiner of Marine and Port Fund Accounts, to act as Assistant Port Officer, Madras, during Mr. Marshall's employment on other duty, or until further orders.

No. 17.—Mr. C. H. Rowland, Agent for Government Consignments and Government Surveyor, to act as Examiner of Marine and Port Fund Accounts during Mr. Bartlett's employment on other duty, without prejudice to his own duties.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 18.—The following Proceedings of the Harbour Trust Board, appointed under the provisions of section 7 of the Madras Harbour Trust Act (II of 1886), at a meeting held on Thursday, the 10th June 1886, are published :—

Present :

The Hon. R. W. Barlow, C.S., Chairman.
Mr. H. R. Dawson.
Mr. E. P. Oakshott.
Lieutenant J. H. Taylor, R.N.R.
Major D. McNeil Campbell, R.E.
M.R.Ry S. Venkatakistnamah Chetty Garu.
M.R.Ry. A. Dhanacoty Mudaliar Avargal.
Mr. R. G. Orr.

Read and confirmed Proceedings of last meeting held on 1st June 1886.

Read telegrams from the Chairmen of the Calcutta and Bombay Port Trusts.

Recorded.

Resolved,—that a selection be made, if possible, from local applicants.

Read memorandum from the Master Attendant, of the duties hitherto discharged by the Deputy Master Attendant, which will serve as a guide for the duties a Secretary will be required to perform.

Resolved,—that this memorandum be circulated for the information of the Trustees.

Read letter from the Master Attendant, No. 4802, dated 1st June 1886.

Resolved,—that Mr. Ross's security bond be continued as it stands, and that it be entrusted for the present to the Master Attendant for safe custody.

Resolved,—that the Board desires to invite the attention of the Government to the fact that, according to section 30 of the Harbour Trust Act, the Trust becomes liable for interest on Rupees 46,54,641, whereas past correspondence seems to show that the Trust would be held responsible for a lump sum of 15 lakhs only, with interest thereon, and upon any further expenditure incurred after 1st April 1883. The Board beg they may be favored with an exact statement of the actual obligations placed upon the Trust as on 1st June 1886.

Carried unanimously.

Resolved,—that the meeting adjourns till Thursday, 17th, at 4-30 P.M., at the Custom House.

No. 19.—The following Proceedings of the Harbour Trust Board appointed under the provisions of section 7 of the Madras Harbour Trust Act (II of 1886) at a Meeting held on Thursday the 17th June 1886 are published:—

Present:

The Hon. R. W. Barlow, C.S., Chairman.
Mr. H. R. Dawson.
Mr. E. P. Oakshott.
Lieutenant J. H. Taylor, R.N.R.
Major D. McNeil Campbell, R.E.
M.R.Ry. S. Venkatakistnamah Chetty Garu.
M.R.Ry. A. Dhanacoty Mudaliar Avargal.
Mr. R. G. Orr.

Read and confirmed Proceedings of last meeting held on the 10th June 1886.

Proposed by Mr. R. G. Orr and seconded by Mr. E. P. Oakshott,—

"That the Board desires to inquire how far the duties and powers of the Board extends, especially as regards the reconstruction of the Harbour and the control of the executive staff."

Carried unanimously.

Read application from Mr. A. E. Ramsay, of Beypore, dated 3rd April 1886, for the appointment of Secretary, Harbour Board Trust.

Recorded.

Read G.O., No. 1452-W, dated 9th June 1886, and enclosures, relating to increase of pay of Superintendent of Harbour Works.

Resolved under section 24,—that the sanction of Government be asked for an increase of Rupees 250 per mensem to Mr. F. N. Thorowgood, in consideration of the services and responsibility connected with the restoration of the Harbour; such increase to take effect from 1st June 1886, when the Board was constituted.

Read endorsement from Government, No. 941-C, dated 10th June 1886.

Proposed by Mr. R. G. Orr and seconded by Mr. H. R. Dawson,—

"That the rewards, strictly speaking, should be paid out of Port Funds, because the ships that were wrecked have paid Port dues on entering the Port, but in recognition of the excellent services rendered on the 24th May, and in order to save delay, the Board sanction the payment of Rupees 400, and four Silver Medals, as rewards—to be transmitted to the Master Attendant for distribution."

Carried unanimously.

Resolved,—that Messrs. Branson and Branson be invited to act as Solicitors to the Harbour Trust.

Resolved,—that Mr. C. Pinsent be appointed Secretary, on a salary of Rupees 500, with an annual increase of 50 rupees per mensem up to Rupees 800, subject to the sanction of Government. He will be required to furnish approved security amounting to Rupees 5,000.

E. F. WEBSTER,
Chief Secretary.

ECCLESIASTICAL DEPARTMENT.

Ootacamund, June 23, 1886.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 64.—Major F. T. Powis to be a Lay Trustee of the Churches at Vizagapatam and Waltair in the place of E. M. Baber, Esq.

E. F. WEBSTER,
Chief Secretary.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Ootacamund, June 23, 1886.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 234.—Mr. W. A. Symonds to be a First-grade Inspector in the Salt and Abkári Department, sub. *pro tem.*, with effect from the 3rd May 1886.

No. 235.—M.R.Ry. Abraham Prabalanadam Pillai Avargal, Tahsildar of Tiruchengod, Salem, to be Temporary Deputy Collector and Magistrate in the same district, under G.O., 12th January 1877, No. 105, Financial.

Ootacamund, May 25, 1886.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 236.—The following resolution of the Government of India, Department of Finance and Commerce (Separate Revenue, &c.,—Assessed Taxes —Income Tax), dated Simla, 6th May 1886, No. 632, is published for general information:—

The Governor-General in Council is pleased to rule that when a deduction is made under section 5 (1) (*g*) of Act II of 1886 from the amount of income liable to the tax imposed by the said Act on account of the payment of a life insurance premium, the amount deducted shall, if the premium is payable in sterling, be the actual cost of remittance as stated by the assessee.

Ootacamund, June 17, 1886.

No. 231.—Under section 24 of the Madras Abkári Act, 1886, and in exercise of all other powers enabling him in this behalf, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to prescribe the following Rules for the issue, &c., of licenses under section 12 of the said Act for the tapping of toddy-producing trees and for the drawing of toddy therefrom, to have effect in the following local areas from the first day of October 1886 :—

(1) The Calicut Taluk of the Malabar District.

(2) The town of Cannanore comprising the following amsams :—
Elayavur amsam.
Pulati amsam.
Karar territory.

(3) The town of Tellicherry comprising the following amsams :—
Nittur.
Tellicherry.
Mailamjanmam.
Tiruvangad.

(4) The town of Palghat comprising the following amsams and desams :—
Koppam amsam.
Puttur do.
Yakkara do.
Vaddakkantara amsam.
Kannadi do.
Puthupariyaram desam of Kavalpad amsam.
Kavalpad desam of Kavalpad amsam.
Kattakakunnu desam of Akathethara amsam.
Kottekad desam of Akathethara amsam.
Kallekulangara Ul-desam of Akathethara amsam.
Choppilamuri Ul-desam of Akathethara amsam.

(5) The town of Cochin comprising the town and outlying Pattams but excluding Tangacherry and Anjengo.

(6) The Bandar Taluk of the Kistna District.

(7) The Cocanada and Coringa Divisions of the Godavari District.

(8) The Cuddalore Taluk of the South Arcot District.

(9) The Trichinopoly Taluk of the Trichinopoly District.

RULES.

1. Tree-tapping licenses shall be granted only on the application of persons holding licenses for the sale of toddy, in their own names or in the names of their nominees. Where the exclusive privilege of manufacturing and supplying toddy by wholesale and of selling the same by retail has been granted to any person, tree-tapping licenses will be issued only on the application of such grantee.

2. Applications for the grant of tree-tapping licenses must be made in the prescribed form to the Inspector of the Salt and Abkári Department in charge of the Circle. Forms may be obtained from the Salt and Abkári Inspectors and from all Tahsildars and Deputy Tahsildars in the above-mentioned local areas. They must bear a court-fee stamp of one anna and must contain the certificate of a Treasury or Sub-Treasury Officer that the fees, if any (or the first instalment thereof, as the case may be), due on account of the trees which it is desired to tap, have been paid.

3. Collectors may also empower heads of villages to receive such fees and to grant receipts therefor which must be produced with the application form to the Inspector.

4. Persons applying for the issue of licenses will be responsible to Government for all sums payable as tree-tax on account of the trees licensed in such licenses to be tapped.

5. On receipt of an application, the Inspector will at once take steps for the marking of the trees by an officer superior in rank to a petty officer and for the issue of the license.

6. No license shall be granted for tapping less than fifteen trees except to persons who already hold tree-tapping licenses to whom supplemental licenses may be granted for not less than five trees.

7. No tree shall be tapped nor shall toddy be drawn from any toddy tree, nor shall any pot be attached to any toddy tree, until the tree has been marked by the proper officer. But the preparation of the spathes for the drawing of toddy is permitted, as soon as the fee (or the first instalment thereof, as the case may be) has been paid, a receipt has been obtained, and the application in the prescribed form has been delivered to the Inspector ; or, when the exclusive privilege of manufacturing and supplying toddy by wholesale and of selling the same by retail has been granted, on written authority obtained by the tapper from the grantee. Provided that such written authority shall not be so granted before an application for the issue of a license in the name of the tapper has been delivered to the Inspector.

8. The currency of tree-tapping licenses shall be one year. Annual licenses shall expire on the 30th day of September following the date of their issue, or on such other date as the Commissioner of Salt and Abkári Revenue may from time to time prescribe for any local area to which these Rules apply.

9. The following shall be the annual fees payable on account of each tree for the tapping of which a license is applied for :—

Local Areas.	Kinds of Trees and Fees payable.			
	Cocoanut.	Palmyra.	Date.	Sago.
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Calicut Taluk .. / Calicut Town .. / Cannanore Town .. / Tellicherry do. .. / Palghat do. .. / Cochin do. ..	3	2	..	6
Bandar Taluk .. / Cocanada Division .. / Coringa do. ..	1	1	½	..
Cuddalore Taluk .. / Trichinopoly Taluk ..	3	2	1	..

10. The fees payable on account of any license issued under these rules shall be payable in the following instalments, unless the Commissioner of Salt and Abkári Revenue shall otherwise direct. Provided that, if the exclusive privilege of manufacturing and supplying toddy by wholesale and of selling the same by retail shall have been granted to any person under the orders of Government, the instalments by which such fees shall be payable shall be regulated by the conditions of such grant.

Period within which the License is issued.	Proportion of Tree-tax to be paid at the time of Application for License.	Instalments by which the Remainder is to be paid.
	For Cocoanut and Sago Trees.	
Between October 1 and December 31 in any year.	One-quarter	Four equal monthly instalments in the following months of January to April inclusive.
Between January 1 and March 31 in any year.	One-half	Two equal monthly instalments in the following months of April and May.
Between April 1 to June 30 in any year.	Three-fourths	One instalment on the 1st of August.
Between July 1 and September 30 in any year.	The whole	None.
	For Palmyra Trees.	
Between October 1 and December 31 in any year.	One-half	Two equal monthly instalments in the following months of January and February.
Between January 1 to September 30 in any year.	The whole	None.
	For Date Trees.	
Between October 1 of one and September 30 of the following year.	One-half	The remainder on the first day of the second month following.

11. Every instalment of tree-tax shall be paid on the first day of the month on which it falls due.

12. For the convenience of applicants, applications will be received, trees will be marked and licenses will be issued before September 30 in each year, to take effect from the following 1st of October only, before which date no toddy shall be drawn under such licenses.

13. The holder of a tree-tapping license may cause the trees mentioned in the license to be tapped by his relative or servant.

14. Tree-tapping licenses issued on the application of a person to whom the exclusive privilege of manufacturing and supplying toddy by wholesale and of selling the same by retail has been granted will include the right to sell toddy between sunrise and sunset at the tree foot, *i.e.*, in a shed in the garden or field in which the trees stand.

15. All toddy not so sold shall be conveyed direct to a distillery or to a licensed toddy shop under a general transport permit which will be granted *gratis* by the Inspector.

16. No toddy shall be kept by a person holding a license under these Rules in the garden or field, in which stand the trees which he is licensed to tap, between sunset and sunrise, except in the pots hanging on the trees which he holds a license to tap.

Ootacamund, June 21, 1886.

No. 237.—In the Notification No. 111, dated 29th March 1886, published at pages 272 to 290 of the *Fort St. George Gazette* dated 31st March 1886, the following revised lists of villages will be substituted for those entered under the district of Tanjore :—

Mayavaram Taluk.

Nalladai.
Mallappasamudram.
Konganadai.
Kothangudi.
Neivasal.
Velanpudukudi.
Arasur.
Vasishtacheri.
Sethur.
Vilagam.
Kargudi.
Kodavilagam.
Andanjeri.
Muthur.
Kilimangalam.
Narasinganatham.
Samaienkunnam.
Eachangudi.
Pillavudanthai.
Kalasambady.
Tiruvilayattam.
Kumaramangalam.
Iluppur.
Munivanangudi.
Agara Ariharangudal.
Uthirangudi.
Eravanjeri.
Visalur.
Patham.
Neduvassal.
Tiruvidakali.
Tillaiyadi.
Eduthukatti.
Sathanur.
Mangudi.
Tirukalacheri.
Aypadi.
Palayur.
Athupakam.
Kattucheri.
Thevanur.
Kaliyappanallore.
Anandamangalam.
Porayar.
Sandirappadi.
Erukattanjeri.
Olugumangalam.
Anaicovil.
Manikampangu.
Sathangudi.
Manamodu.

Patukota Taluk.

Palamuthi.
Veppankadu Ukkadai.
Nambivayal.
Yedaiyathi.
Veemapuram.
Neivelivadapathi.
Neivelithenpathi.
Seruvaviduthirvadapathi.
Muthiyapuram.
Kistnapuram.
Seruvaviduthithenpathi.
Neduvasalmelpathi.
Avanamukkadai.
Periyanayakipuram.

Palandakishnapuram.
Neduvasalkilpathi.
Suriyanarayanapuram.
Mudukuvayal.
Avanam Ukkadai.
Pisanathur.
Tuvar.
Pisanathurukkadi.
Unjividuthi.
Toppaviduthi.
Kaduvettividuthi.
Pannikandanviduthi.
Kavalipatti.
Vettuvakotai.
Athambai.
Padanrankotai.
Kollukadu.
Anantha Gopalapuram.
Akkarivattam.
Ammangudi.
Pandipalamanikadu.
Talikaividuthi Kishnapuram.
Pottamviduthi Kishnapuram.
Sinneyaviduthi.
Sinneyaviduthi Kishnapuram.
Akkarivattam Ukkadai.
Sillatur.
Pukal Kishnapuram.
Venkarai.
Kottaikadu.
Kallakotai.
Kolathur.
Nadupatti.
Parukkividuthi.
Attankaraividuthi.
Vellalaviduthi.
Terukavandanviduthi.
Kunnukidipatti.
Tinnikulam.
Vattakulapatti.
Vellipatti.
Sunkumviduthi.
Panthuvakotai.
Kariyaviduthi.
Sokkanpetti.
Namburanpatti.
Seviyarkudikadu.
Talicheri—hamlet of Alapurandan.
Nemmeli.
Kolakottanalli.
Yelangudi.
Sevikottai.
Mottayandi.
Pachalur.
Kongudi.
Yokambalpuram.
Avakulam.
Kanjiranvayal.
Metukanakkanvettivayal.
Paravakottai.
Arayapatti—hamlet of Narpavalakudi.
Kurumbur.
Kovilkottai.
Maramadakki.
Karisikadu.
Senganathi.
Ulakalandan.
Tevarvayal.
Kummankadu.
Attani.
Durmarajanvayal.
Vatharasanvayal.
Avanvayal.
Kullarambanivayal.
Lakshminarasimmapuram.
Andavarayapuram.
Pulichankadu.
Palandamarai.
Panniyur.
Kuruvikkuttanendal.
Yelunuthimangalam.
Kamalakudi.
Punniyavayal.
Avadiyar Kovil.
Paniyavayal.
Tuvarivayal.
Varandi.
Vembangudi.
Tiruchitambalam.
Madatikadu.
Meyanur.
Sananendal.
Poduvakur.
Tunganur Ukkadi Martandapuram.
Poduvakur Ukkadi Martandapuram.
Karoor.
Valayanvayal.
Tiruvirundavayal.
Perandavayal.
Kothamangalam.
Poyanendal.
Periyakottiyur.
Yembakottiyur.
Avanam.
Yeduthanur.
Palaiyur.
Niramangalam.
Vettivayal.
Siriyakottiyur.
Marayakudi.
Yelambavayal.
Kumulur.
Konkuranvayal.
Koneriyendal.
Ninniyur.
Kolathiranpatti.
Sullani.
Nulkiramam.
Narasingapuram.
Pallivayal.
Kunjanvettivayal.
Sivanakiri.
Kolattiranvayal.
Narikudi.
Sattiyakudi.
Indanur.
Tachamalli.
Kannariyendal.
Peravayal.
Okkakudi.
Muriyur.
Tunjanur.
Okkur.
Perundamarai.
Maravanendal.
Sendanendal.
Kutipulichiyendal.

Tanjore Taluk.

Nodiyur.
Solagampatti.
Viralipatti.
Kalluppatti.
Achchampatti.
Tachchankurichi.
Malayappatti.
Kosuvappatti.
Kurumpundi.
Palayapatti Terkusethi.
Palayapatti Vadakusethi.
Kavani.
Pudukudi Tenpadi.
Pudukudi Vadapadi.
Singippatti.
Sanurappatti.
Manganur.
Vadugappatti.

Vandanpatti.
Aravampatti.
Palayagandarvakottai.
Solaganpatti.
Korampatti.
Mekkudippatti.
Kovilur.
Kottagam.
Kattunaval.
Perichchivanniyampatti.
Sundanpatti.
Akkachchipatti.
Mattangal.
Marungurni.
Kollampatti.
Neppugai.
Velavadipatti.
Manjanpatti.
Andanur.
Tekkur.
Vadakkur.
Poyundakottai.
Puduppatti.
Mohanur.
Periyakottai.
Kottagampatti.
Pallavaranpatti.
Kattirikadu.
Malliyanattam.
Vembanpatti.
Kakkarakottai.
Vadakukottai.

Ootacamund, June 8, 1886.

No. 238.—His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to direct the following amendments in the rules published under section 63 (*b*) of Act V of 1882 :—

Rule 1.—For " Forest officer " read " Forest Settlement officer."

Rule 10.—Substitute the following for the second, third and fourth paragraphs :—

" The claims on which he will have to adjudicate will usually be of two classes—

(1) Claims to land.

(2) Claims to rights of the nature of easements specified in section 10 of the Act.

" He will record the evidence and decide on the claim in each case in the manner prescribed by the Code of Civil Procedure for adoption in appealable cases. He will also maintain two registers, A and B, in the accompanying forms and will enter in the former all claims as they are received and in the latter all claims as they are disposed of. Register B, or a fair signed copy thereof, must be forwarded to the Government with the draft notifications under section 16 of the Forest Act.

" When a claim comes partly under section 10 and partly under section 11, the Forest Settlement officer will separate those parts of it which fall under section 10 from those which fall under section 11 and will enter them in his register as distinct claims.

" In cases in which appeals are preferred against his decisions, the Forest Settlement officer will obtain copies of the appellate decisions which should form part of the Forest Settlement record. A brief abstract of each appellate judgment should also be prepared and entered in the appropriate column of register B, reference being made in the " remark column " to the number and date of such judgment."

Rule 15.—Add the following at the end of the rule :—

" Such rights and privileges shall be recorded in the registers provided in rule 10, as claims preferred on behalf of the public by the Collector or District Forest officer."

Registers referred to in Rule 10.

A.

REGISTER of claims to Lands, rights to Forest produce or easements in the proposed———— reserved Forest.

No.	Names of claimants.	Date of presentation of claims.	Nature and extent of claims preferred.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5

B.

REGISTER of claims to Lands, rights to Forest produce or easements in the proposed——— reserved Forests.

No.	Names of claimants.	Date of presentation of claims.	Nature and extent of claims preferred.	Brief summary of the evidence adduced in support of claims.	Brief summary of the District Forest officer's arguments and evidence produced by him.	Brief abstract of decision and final disposal of the claims by the Forest Settlement officer.	Brief abstract of decision, if any, of court of final appeal and settlement.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9

Ootacamund, June 12, 1886.

No. 239.—Under sections 26, 35 and 36 of the Madras Forest Act (V of 1882), the following rules for the control of the export of timber and forest produce from the forests of the Bhadráchalam and Rékapalle taluks of the Godávari district have been sanctioned by His Excellency the Governor of Fort Saint George in Council, and are hereby published for general information. They will come into force on the 15th July 1886 :—

1. All timber or forest produce which is brought down the Godávari or Sabari rivers shall be liable to stoppage for examination and for payment of the amounts due to Government thereon, as hereinafter ordered, at one of the revenue stations established for the purpose and notified as such from time to time by the Collector.

2. The cutting and removal to the river of unreserved timber and forest produce from the forests other than reserved forests requires no previous permit, but the persons cutting may only cut unreserved trees and remove produce of the descriptions and sizes prescribed in the schedule of rates fixed from time to time by Government and must follow in all respects the general rules of the Forest Department. Reserved trees may be cut only on special permit from the range officer.

3. When timber or forest produce has been brought to one of the forest stations on the Godávari or Sabari rivers, the person in charge will, if the station is not one appointed for the receipt of revenue, inform the officer in charge and receive from him a numbered ticket with which he can proceed onwards and which he must produce at the station appointed for the reception of revenue payments.

4. On arrival at that revenue station the person in charge will produce his ticket, or if he comes direct from the forests, announce his arrival, and the officer in charge will proceed to measure the timber or other forest produce and assess the amount payable to Government under the rates in force, which amount the person in charge will then be called upon to pay.

5. Until payment in full has been made to the officer in charge of the revenue station, the person in charge may not remove the produce brought down, and in case of failure to pay within one month, the produce will be confiscated and sold on behalf of Government.

6. On receipt of payment in full from the person in charge, the officer in charge of the revenue station will grant a receipt in Code form No. 13 and will mark all logs or timber pieces with the departmental sale hammer mark, after which the timber or produce may be removed.

7. Should it be found that the boats or rafts brought to the revenue station contain wood or forest produce of a size or description prohibited in the schedule of rates, such timber or produce will be confiscated in addition to any other punishment for breach of these rules that may be imposed.

8. In the case of timber and forest produce removed from the "reserved forest," the forest ranger or forester in charge will grant a permit for such produce on prepayment before removal, and on removal the permit will be delivered up at the revenue station where the timber will be marked and receipt given as for produce from other forests but without further payment.

9. All persons bringing timber or forest produce from the territories under the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces or from those of His Highness the Nizam of Hyderabad

either by land or by the Godávari river will be bound to produce a pass at the first of the forest stations met with, and if from the Upper Godávari at the forest station at the Dumagudiem lock. The officer in charge of the forest station will countersign the pass so as to prevent its use a second time and will furnish them with a ticket in like manner to those furnished to persons exporting timber and produce from the Bhadráchalam and Rékapalle forests, and furnished with this ticket they will proceed to the station appointed for the collection of revenue.

Similarly all persons bringing timber or forest produce down the Sabari river from the Jeypore or Bustar zemindaries will be required to take out a ticket (for which no charge will be made) at the forest station at Koleru.

10. On their reaching the collecting station the officer in charge will mark all the timber and pieces of wood with a pass hammer mark and grant a way permit. The timber or produce can then be released and pass on.

11. No restriction will be placed on the cutting free of charge, and without permit, by Koya or Reddi villagers of all produce they may require for home consumption in the forests other than those reserved subject to the reservation of such trees as the Collector may see fit to order to be reserved from time to time.

12. Any breach or infringement of these rules will render the offender liable on conviction to imprisonment of either description as defined in the Indian Penal Code, which may extend to one month, or to fine, or to both.

The following is the schedule of rates fixed under these rules :—

Botanical Names.	English and Vernacular Names.	Rate of Seigniorage.
Reserved Trees.		
1. Tectona grandis	Teak	Only to be cut on special permits from the range officer and in special localities as circumstances may necessitate. Nos. 1, 2 and 3 if sold may be sold at Annas 4 per cubic foot; the rest on special arrangement.
2. Dalbergia latifolia	Jitiyegishi	
3. Hardwicka binata	Yepi	
4. Terminalia chebula	Karakai	
5. Diospyros melanoxylon	Ebony	
6. Mangifera indica	Mango	
7. Tamarindus indica	Tamarind	
8. Terminalia arjuna	Erramaddi	
9. Anogeissus acuminata	Pasi	
Class I.		
1. Pterocarpus marsupium	Yegishi	Only trees above 4 feet in girth, 3 annas per cubic foot.
2. Xylia dolabriformis	Konda Tangedu	
3. Bassia latifolia	Ippa	
4. Chloroxylon swietenia	Billu	
5. Soymida febrifuga	Somi	
6. Adina cordifolia	Bandaru	
7. Schleichera trijuga	Busi	
Class II.		
1. Terminalia tomentosa	Maddi	Any girth. Logs, 2 annas per cubic foot. Poles under 2 feet girth, 8 annas each.
2. Anogeissus latifolia	Chirimanu	
3. Acacia catechu, suma and leucophlœa	Sundra	
4. Eugenia Jambolana	Neredu	
5. Lagerströmia parviflora	Chinangi	
Class III.		
All others	......	Any girth. Logs, 1 anna per cubic foot. Poles under 2 feet girth, 4 annas.

Squared timber, 50 per cent. in addition.

	RS.	A.	P.
Firewood.—Per ton of 70 cubic feet stacked or in boats or rafts ...	0	4	0

No reserved trees or trees of classes I or II to be cut unless specially permitted. Fruit trees and others that it may be necessary to protect from time to time will be specially exempted from cutting by order of the Collector.

	RS.	A.	P.
Charcoal.—Per ton	2	0	0
to be made only where specially allowed.			
Bamboos. { Large, per 100	0	8	0
{ Small ,, 100	0	4	0
Bamboos under 1 year of age not to be cut.			
Tangedu bark.—Per ton	10	0	0

Other minor produce, 10 per cent. *ad valorem*, the rates to be fixed quarterly by the Collector with reference to the market value of the produce at Rajahmundry.

J. F. PRICE,
Acting Secretary to Government.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Fort St. George, June 25, 1886.

REVERSIONS.

No. 66.—The following reversions are ordered :—

Name.	Present Class.		Grade or Class to which reverted.		With effect from
Major R. R. E. Drake-Brockman, R.E.	Superintending Engineer (Officiating).	3rd.	Executive Engineer.	1st Grade.	15th June 1886.
Major S. C. Clarke, R.E. ..	Superintending Engineer (Temporary rank).	3rd.	Superintending Engineer (Officiating).	3rd Class.	Do.

EXTENSION OF LEAVE.

No. 67.—The following intimation, received from the Secretary of State, is published :—

Name.	Service.	Appointment.	Period and nature of extension.
Mr. A. S. Russell	..	Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade, Madras.	Three months' sick leave.

TRANSFER.

No. 68.—The following transfer is ordered :—

Mr. C. A. Smith, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, from the Kistna Eastern Division to the Office of the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department —to join on return from leave.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 69.—Mr. J. P. Davidson, Executive Engineer, Third Grade, to be Assistant to the Chief Engineer for Irrigation and Under Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, Irrigation Branch—to join at the public expense on relief by Lieutenant and Deputy Assistant Commissary W. C. S. West.

J. H. M. SHAW-STEWART, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government, Public Works Dept.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 23rd June 1886.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 353.—COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT—

Major W. H. M. Francklyn, General List, Infantry, Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd Class (sub, *pro tem.*), to act as Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class.

Captain E. E. Kenny, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, 4th Class, to act as Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd Class.

Lieutenant S. F. Smith, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, to act as Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class.

With effect from the 17th February 1886, *vice* Major A. Clark-Kennedy, on furlough.

Captain S. R. Rawlinson, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, 4th Class (sub. *pro tem.*), to act as Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd Class.

With effect from the 17th February 1886, *vice* Major W. Cooke, on furlough.

Lieutenant A. H. Clark-Kennedy, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, 4th Class, (sub. *pro tem.*), to act as Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd Class.

Lieutenant H. L. Hutchins, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, to act as Assistant Commissary-General, 4th Class.

With effect from the 17th February 1886, *vice* Captain B. T. M. Gompertz, on furlough.

Lieutenant N. S. Swanston, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class (sub. *pro tem.*), to act as Assistant Commissary-General, 4th Class.

With effect from the 17th February 1886, *vice* Captain L. J. Torrie, on furlough.

Lieutenant F. C. W. Rideout, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, (sub. *pro tem.*), to act as Assistant Commissary-General, 4th Class.

Lieutenant C. H. Clements, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class (sub. *pro tem.*), to act as Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class.

With effect from 24th March 1886, consequent on Major Cooke's furlough.

Lieutenant W. H. D. Rich, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class (sub. *pro tem.*), to act as Assistant Commissary-General, 4th Class.

With effect from 18th May 1886, consequent on Major Cooke's furlough.

Lieutenant W. E. Wimble, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class (sub. *pro tem.*), to act as Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class.

With effect from 18th May 1886, *vice* Lieutenant W. C. H. Mackintosh, on furlough.

Colonel H. C. Wright, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, to act as Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class.

Captain E. E. Kenny, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, 4th Class, to act as Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class.

Lieutenant E. F. Watson, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, to act as Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd Class.

Lieutenant C. C. Tennant, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class (sub. *pro tem.*), to act as Assistant Commissary-General, 4th Class.

Lieutenant H. N. Taylor, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class (sub. *pro tem.*), to act as Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class.

With effect from 1st June 1886, *vice* Colonel E. S. Berkeley, on furlough.

No. 354.—JUDGE ADVOCATE-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT—

Major W. Hughes Hallett, Staff Corps, to be Judge Advocate-General, *vice* Colonel W. Hands, who has vacated that appointment. Dated 9th June 1886.

No. 355.—STAFF CORPS—

The undermentioned Officers are admitted to the Madras Staff Corps, with effect from the dates specified, subject to the confirmation of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India:—

Lieutenant G. W. S. Hawks, Lancashire Fusiliers, Wing Officer, 32nd Regiment, Madras Infantry. Dated 11th July 1883.

Lieutenant J. Thornhill, Derbyshire Regiment, Wing Officer, 6th Regiment, Madras Infantry. Dated 30th May 1883.

No. 356.—The undermentioned Officers having completed 18 months from date of appointment, on probation, are admitted to the Madras Staff Corps from the dates specified against their names, subject to the confirmation of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, and to their passing the professional examination required under regulation:—

Lieutenant A. S. Rooke, Gloucestershire Regiment, Wing Officer, 1st Regiment, Madras Infantry (Pioneers). Dated 24th November 1884.

Lieutenant W. G. H. Stirling, 6th Dragoon Guards, Squadron Officer, 1st Madras Lancers. Dated 29th November 1884.

Lieutenant R. P. Horsbrugh, 7th Dragoon Guards, Squadron Officer, 1st Madras Lancers. Dated 9th December 1884.

Lieutenant C. E. H. Connell, Oxfordshire Light Infantry, Wing Officer, 1st Sikh Infantry. Dated 6th November 1884.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 357.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India, with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

Surgeon A. J. Sturmer (p.a.), for one year and 183 days, under Rule VIII, clause 2, and Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 358.—Brigade-Surgeon R. E. Pearse, Principal Medical Storekeeper, is granted leave to sea (m.c.) for three months, under Rule XXVII of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 359.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of furlough by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India:—

Captain C. H. M. Kensington, R.E., seventy-five days, m.c.
Lieutenant R. D. MacDonnell, Staff Corps, four months, m.c.

No. 360.—Lieutenant-Colonel A. G. Hutchins, General List, Infantry, Commandant, Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles, is granted privilege leave for sixty days, from the 10th July 1886, or date of departure.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 361.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 25th May 1886, is republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 25th May 1886.

MEMORANDA.

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The undermentioned Lieutenant-Colonels to be Colonels:—

William Anderson, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 4th March 1886.
Edmund Ghuznee Morrogh, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 4th March 1886.

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Arthur Marriott Lys, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 4th March 1886.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 362.—NATIVE ARMY—

10th Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 2308, Abdul Qadir to be Jemadar	Dated 15th February 1886.
Havildar, No. 2565, Abdul Aziz to be Jemadar	

13th Madras Infantry.

Subadar Ghoolam Moideen to be Subadar-Major	Dated 16th April 1886.
Jemadar Mahomed Cader to be Subadar	
Jemadar Jeanah to be Subadar	
Havildar-Major, No. 665, Jaganad Singh to be Jemadar	
Havildar, No. 626, Syed Mahmood to be Jemadar	
Havildar, No. 656, Narrainsawmy to be Jemadar	

14th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Yenketsawmy to be Subadar	Dated 22nd February 1886.
Havildar, No. 2914, Cawder Sherriff to be Jemadar	

24th Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 184, Abdool Rhymon to be Jemadar .. Dated 1st April 1886.

27th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Ramiah to be Subadar .. .. .. } Dated 16th April 1886.
Havildar, No. 499, Rungiah to be Jemadar .. .. }

28th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Perthap Singh to be Subadar .. .. } Dated 1st April 1886.
Havildar, No. 1058, Mahomed Shareef to be Jemadar .. }

No. 363.—WARRANT OFFICERS—

To be Conductors. Dated 23rd *June* 1886.

Sub-Conductor Mark Shea, Barrack Department.
Sub-Conductor Henry Webb, Adjutant-General's Office.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 364.—The undermentioned Officers are permitted, subject to Her Majesty's approval, to retire from the service on the pensions and from the dates specified against their names :—

Colonel C. J. Jennings, Staff Corps, on £783-5 per annum. Dated 1st July 1886.
Major V. S. Mathias, Staff Corps, on £250 per annum. Dated 25th June 1886.

No. 365.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the undermentioned Officers to retire from the service, subject to Her Majesty's approval, with effect from the dates specified :—

Colonel D. W. Laughton, Staff Corps. Dated 10th May 1886.
Major F. M. Onslow, General List, Cavalry. Dated 7th May 1886.

A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Lieut.-Col.,
Secretary to Government.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA NOTIFICATIONS.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

MEDICAL.

Simla, the 4th June 1886.

No. 228.—For paragraph 6 of Home Department Notification No. 150, dated 15th March 1880, substitute the following :—

"6. In all Provinces for which a separate Sanitary Commissioner is sanctioned, the Sanitary Department will remain distinct from, and not subordinate to, the Medical Department; and in selection for such posts, knowledge and experience as a Sanitary Officer will be specially considered. The Sanitary Commissioners of these Provinces shall no longer, in virtue of their appointments as such, have the rank and privileges of Deputy Surgeon-General. This rule will apply to all officers appointed as Sanitary Commissioners after the 19th March 1886, the date of receipt of the Secretary of State's Despatch No. 37 Military, dated London, 25th February 1886. As a compensation for the withdrawal from Sanitary Commissioners of the rank and privileges of a Deputy Surgeon-General, Her Majesty's Government have sanctioned the annual grant of four extra pensions of £100 each to senior officers of the Indian Medical Department in the proportion of two for the Bengal and one each for the Madras and Bombay Medical Services. The conditions attaching to the grant of these pensions will be published as a Special India Army Circular by the Military Department."

A. P. MACDONNELL,
Offg. Secy. to the Government of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

TELEGRAPH.

Simla, the 4th June 1886.

No. 145.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased, under the provisions of section 7, Act XIII of 1885, entitled "The Telegraph Act," to order the following Rules and Rates for Foreign Telegrams to have effect from the 1st July 1886 :—

RULES AND RATES FOR FOREIGN TELEGRAMS.

General.

Rule 1.—The Government of India accepts no responsibility whatsoever in respect of Foreign Telegrams.

I.—Telegrams exchanged with places beyond Indian limits are subject to the regulations of the International Telegraph Convention for the time being in force.

CONTROL.

Rule 2.—The Government of India reserves to itself the right of stopping any private telegrams which may appear dangerous to the security of the State, or may be contrary to the laws of the country, to public order or decency.

I.—Any intermediate Administration may stop the transmission of such a telegram on condition of immediately advising the Administration to which the original sending station belongs.

ACCEPTANCE OF TELEGRAMS.

Rule 3.—Foreign telegrams are classified as follows :—

1*st.*—*State* or *Government* Telegrams—

I.—*State* telegrams can only be accepted from such officials as are specially authorized to telegraph beyond Indian limits.

II.—Telegrams from Consular Agents can only be accepted as *State* telegrams when they are addressed to a Government Official of one of the States contracting to the International Convention, and relate to the service of such contracting State.

2*nd.*—*Private* Telegrams.

Rule 4.—Foreign telegrams may be written in ordinary language, in Code language, or in Cipher.

I.—Telegrams in *Ordinary* language must offer an intelligible sense throughout, in one of the languages admitted for international telegraphic correspondence by the contracting States, or in Latin.

II.—Telegrams in *Code* language (*i.e.*, those made up of words having each an *intrinsic* meaning though not offering an intelligible sense throughout) must consist of recognized words of the German, English, Spanish, French, Italian, Dutch, Portuguese or Latin languages: any *Code* telegram may contain words taken from all or any of the abovementioned languages. Proper names of every description are inadmissible in a *Code* telegram. (*See also Rule* 20, *I.*)

III.—Private *Cipher* telegrams must be composed of Arabic figures; groups of letters not forming words (except Trade Marks and letters added to figures to form ordinal numbers) cannot be accepted. State *Cipher* telegrams may be composed of figure or letter cipher.

Rule 5.—Foreign telegrams must be legibly written in the Roman character or in Arabic numerals.

I.—The text of the telegram (if any) must be preceded by the address, which by previous arrangement between the addressee and the local telegraph office, may be written in Code or abbreviated form. (*See Rule* 26, *V.*) In the absence of such an arrangement the address must contain all the information necessary to ensure the delivery of the telegram at its destination. The address of private telegrams ought always to be sufficiently clear to prevent the necessity for search or inquiry : for large towns it should comprise the name of the street and the number of the house, or, in default of these particulars, the profession of the addressee or some such information : for small towns the name of the addressee ought, if possible, to be accompanied by information sufficient to guide the office of delivery in case of any alteration in signalling the addressee's name. It is essential that the name of the country of destination be mentioned whenever any doubt on the subject is possible. Telegrams, the addresses of which do not contain these particulars, are nevertheless transmitted, but *in all cases the sender must bear the consequences of insufficiency of address.*

The address of a telegram to be conveyed beyond the telegraph lines is written as in the following example :—

"*M. Müller, Johannisthal, express (or post) Berlin.*" The name of the terminal telegraph office being always written last.

Every address must contain at least two words : the first representing the name of the addressee, the second indicating the name of the telegraph office of destination.

II.—It is optional with the sender to confine his telegram to the two words given in the address, *i.e.*, the telegram need not contain either text or name of the sender.

III.—Every telegram must be authenticated by the true signature of the sender: the sender of a private telegram can always be called upon to prove that the signature attached to it is genuine. Every interlineation, reference, erasure, or addition of words, must be authenticated by the sender of a telegram or his representative.

SPECIAL FACILITIES.

Rule 6.—The sender of a foreign telegram can give instructions relative to its delivery, acknowledgment, collation (*i.e.*, repetition), prepaid reply, &c.

I.—Such instructions must be written immediately before the address, and in French.

II.—If given in abbreviated form as under, they will be counted and charged for each as one word:—

French.	Abbreviated form.	English meaning.
Poste recommandée	PR.	Registered, postage prepaid.
Exprés payé	XP.	Express charges prepaid.
Accusé de reception	CR.	Acknowledgment prepaid.
Telegramme collationné	TC.	Collation (repetition) prepaid.
Réponse payée	RP.	Reply paid.
Telegramme á faire suivre ..	FS.	Telegram to follow.
Telegramme remis ouvert ..	RO.	Telegram to be delivered open.

Rule 7.—The sender can prescribe, free of charge, the route he wishes a foreign telegram to follow.

I.—The route to be followed should be indicated *in writing* on the telegram form in the space provided for the purpose.

II.—When the sender prescribes the route to be followed, his wishes are complied with, unless the route indicated be interrupted, in which case no objection can be raised to the selection of an alternative route.

III.—When no route is specified, the telegram is sent by the least expensive one. (*See Rule* 19.)

Rule 8.—The sender can, on proving his identity, stop, if in time, the transmission of a foreign telegram.

I.—When the sender withdraws or stops his telegram before transmission has been commenced, the charges are returned to him after deducting a fee of 4 annas.

II.—If the telegram has been already transmitted, the sender's only means of cancelling it is by a *paid* (private) telegram addressed to the terminal office.

III.—The sender must pay also for a reply, if he desires to be informed by telegraph in what manner his request has been acted upon.

IV.—An office which receives a telegram requesting the suppression of another telegram, previously received, informs the original sending office by post in what manner the request has been acted upon, unless the sender has prepaid a reply by telegraph.

Rule 9.—The sender of a foreign telegram can prepay the reply which he requests his correspondent to send. The amount deposited for the reply must not exceed the cost of an ordinary telegram of 30 words by the same route.

I.—If the sender writes before the address of the telegram and pays for the instruction "*Réponse payée*," or "R.P." (*see Rule* 6, *II*) it is assumed that a reply of ten words is desired. Should the number of words for which a reply is prepaid be greater or less than ten, the sender must add to the instruction the number of words, thus:—"R.P. 15" (two words) or "*Réponse payée* 15" (three words).

II.—When a reply is prepaid, the office of delivery furnishes the addressee with an "order" or "pass," current for six weeks only, authorizing the free despatch of a telegram to any destination up to the amount prepaid: if the addressee of a telegram received in India makes no use of this "order," he may, within six weeks of its receipt, send it to the *Government Telegraph Check Office, Calcutta,* with an application for refund of the amount which it represents.

III.—If the original telegram cannot be delivered within eight days, or if the receiver formally refuses the order for the reply, the office of delivery informs the sender by a telegram, which indicates the cause of non-delivery and *takes the place of the reply.*

Rule 10.—The sender of a foreign telegram can require that it be *collated* or *repeated.*

I.—To ensure a telegram being *repeated,* the word "collationné" or "T. C." (*See Rule* 6, *II*) should be written immediately before the address. In this case the different offices concerned in its transmission repeat it integrally, to ensure its correctness.

II.—The charge for repetition is equal to one-fourth the charge for the telegram.

Rule 11.—The sender of a foreign telegram can require that a notice shall be telegraphed to him of the hour of its delivery.

I.—In order to obtain such an "acknowledgment," the sender should write the words "*Accuse reception*" or "C. R." (*See Rule* 6, *II*) immediately before the address.

II.—If the telegram cannot be delivered, the terminal office intimates the fact and the reason by a *service* telegram. The return telegram paid for by the sender is afterwards transmitted, either on delivery of the telegram, should that be found possible, or at the expiration of 24 hours in the contrary event.

III.—The charge for an "acknowledgment" is that for a simple telegram of 10 words by the same route as that followed by the original telegram.

Rule 12.—The sender of a foreign telegram can require that it shall be delivered open.

I.—To ensure a telegram being delivered at a given address without a cover, the sender should write the words "*Remisouvert*" or "R. O." (*See Rule* 6, *II*) immediately before the address.

Rule 13.—The sender of a foreign telegram can require that it shall follow the addressee to different addresses, if necessary, *within the limits of Europe.*

I.—To ensure a telegram so following the addressee, the notice "*Faire Suivre*" or "F. S." (*See Rule* 6, *II*) should be written immediately before the address, in which case the terminal office, after presenting it at the address given, transmits it immediately, if requisite, to any new address supplied at the residence of the addressee. If no new address is supplied, the telegram is kept in the office and its non-delivery reported. If the telegram be re-transmitted, and the second office cannot find the addressee, the telegram is retained by that office.

II.—If the notice "*Faire Suivre*" is accompanied by successive addresses, the telegram is successively transmitted to each, if necessary, and the last office treats it in accordance with the regulations of the preceding paragraph.

III.—The charge for a telegram "*Faire Suivre*" to be levied from the sender is simply the charge to the first terminal office, all the addresses entering into the number of words charged for. The supplementary charge is recovered from the addressee.

Rule 14.—Any person, by explaining the necessity, can request that foreign telegrams, which may arrive at a telegraph office to be delivered to him within the radius of delivery of that office, be re-transmitted, in conformity with the conditions of the preceding paragraphs to the address which he furnishes; this request must be made in writing.

Rule 15.—The sender or the addressee of a foreign telegram can require the Telegraph Office to obtain repetition of such words as may appear to him to be doubtful.*

I.—In the case of the sender, he must, within 72 hours of the despatch of his telegram, deposit the cost of a telegram containing the words he wishes to be repeated, as well as the cost of a reply, should he require one.

II.—In the case of the addressee, he must, within 72 hours of receipt of the telegram, deposit the cost of a telegram calling for repetition of the doubtful words, and the cost of the reply.

III.—The sums so deposited will be refunded in full on application to the *Government Telegraph Check Office, Calcutta,* should the repetition show that the word or words so repeated had originally been incorrectly transmitted.

IV.—If, however, the repetition should show that one or more of the words, repetition of which had been demanded, had not, in the first instance, been incorrectly transmitted, the cost of the additional number of words necessitated by such unnecessary repetition, both in the call for repetition and in the reply, will not be refunded.

V.—Every rectifying and completing telegram and generally every communication exchanged between two Telegraph Offices at the request of either the sender or receiver, relative to a telegram already transmitted or in course of transmission, is classed, treated and charged for as a private telegram.

Rule 16.—Foreign telegrams may be multiple, that is, addressed to several persons in the same place, or to the same person at several residences in the same place.

I.—In the first case, each copy of the telegram bears only its own address, unless the sender requests the contrary, in which case the request must be entered after the address, and will be charged for.

II.—A telegram addressed to several persons in the same locality, or to one person at several places of residence in the same locality (whether with or without transmission by post), is charged for as a single telegram; but a copying fee of 4 annas per 100 words, *plus* 4 annas for the excess, is charged for each destination after the first.

III.—Multiple telegrams cannot be accepted for places in the United States.

Rule 17.—In applying the preceding rules, the facilities given to the public for prepayment of replies or acknowledgments, collation (*i.e.*, repetition) of telegrams, telegrams to follow or multiple telegrams can be combined, subject to the conditions of Rule 6, with the exception that a "Multiple Telegram" cannot also be "Reply Paid" (R.P.).

PAYMENT.

Rule 18.—The charges on foreign telegrams are prepaid by the sender.

I.—The following are, however, exceptions, and are recovered from the receiver—

1st.—The charge for telegrams sent from sea by semaphore.

2nd.—The supplementary charge for onward transmission of telegrams "*to follow*" (*Faire Suivre*).

3rd.—The expense of transport beyond the telegraph lines by quicker means than the post in States where such service is organized.

4th.—Any undercharge detected by the office of destination. (*See Rule* 20, *I.*)

II.—In every case when charges are to be made on arrival, the telegram is not delivered till payment of the amount due is received.

Rule 19.—The charge on a foreign telegram is calculated according to the least expensive route from the starting point of the telegram to its destination, unless that route is interrupted or the sender selects another.

I.—The indication of the route is transmitted in the *Official Instructions* and is not charged for. (*See Rule* 7.)

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* Under this rule no refunds are made for any rectifying or completing telegram exchanged direct between the sender and receiver.

Rule 20.—Insufficient charges received in error, or charges not recovered through refusal of the addressee to defray them in full, or through his not being found at the address given, *must be made good by the sender.*

I.—The Telegraph Office of destination may, when a telegram is in the language of that country, and when it contains combinations of words contrary to the usage of the language, recover *from the addressee* the amount undercharged.

II.—Excess charges made in error are returned, but the value of telegraph stamps attached to a telegram in excess of the correct charge by the sender, can only be recovered on application to the Check Office.

APPLICATION OF CHARGES.

Rule 21.—All that the sender writes in a foreign telegram to be transmitted is included in reckoning the cost, except as stated in Rules 19, I and 24, II.

I.—Words, numbers or signs, added by the Telegraph Office in the interest of the service are not charged for.

II.—The name of the original sending office and the date, hour, and minute (Madras time) of deposit of the telegrams, are added *free*, and entered in the copy of the telegram delivered to the addressee.

Rule 22.—The charge for a foreign telegram is by the word or group of figures.

I.—The minimum charge is for a telegram of two words. (*See Rule* 5, *I, II.*)

Rule 23.—In *Ordinary* and *Code* foreign telegrams the maximum length of a word is fixed at 10 letters: every 10 letters (or fraction of 10 letters) in excess is counted as a word.

I.—Words joined by a hyphen are counted as so many separate words.

II.—Words separated by an apostrophe are counted as so many separate words.

III.—Combinations of words, contrary to the usage of the language to which they belong, are not admitted, but proper names of towns and persons, names of places, squares, streets, &c., the names of vessels, as well as numbers written in words, are counted for the number of words (not exceeding 10 letters) employed by the sender to express them. Abbreviations and misspelt words are inadmissible.

IV.—In the *address* of a telegram the name of the Telegraph Office of destination, and the name of the country of destination, if given, are each counted as one word, whatever the number of letters they contain, provided they be written as given in the official list of offices.

Rule 24.—Numbers expressed in figures are counted at the rate of three figures to a word, *plus* one word for any excess.

I.—Every isolated character, whether letter or figure, is counted as a word. The same applies to an underline.

II.—Signs of punctuation, hyphens, apostrophes, inverted commas, parentheses, fresh paragraphs, are not counted or signalled, but decimal points, commas, and bars of division *used with figures* are each counted as a figure and signalled.

III.—Letters added to figures to form ordinal numbers are each counted as a figure.

Examples.

Responsibility (14 letters)	2 words.
A—t—il	3 ,,
Aujourdhui (without apostrophe)	1 word.
Aix-la-chapelle	3 words.
Aixlachapelle* (12 letters)	2 ,,
New York	2 ,,
Newyork	1 word.
Du Bois	2 words.
Dubois	1 word.
Belgrave Square	2 words.
Hyde Park	2 ,,
Hydepark	2 ,,
Hydepark Square	2 ,,
Hydepark Square (14 letters)	2 ,,
St. James Street	3 ,,
Saintjames Street	2 ,,
Portland Place	2 ,,
Prince of Wales	3 ,,
Prince of Wales (name of vessel)	2 ,,
$44\frac{1}{2}$ (5 figures and signs)	2 ,,
$44\frac{1}{2}$ (6 ,, ,,)	2 ,,
444,5 (5 figures and signs)	2 ,,
444;55 (6 ,, ,,)	2 ,,
444,55 (2 groups)	2 ,,
10 francs 50 centimes or 10 fr. 50 c.	4 ,,
10 fr. 50	3 ,,
11 h. 30 m.	4 ,,
11, 30	2 ,,
44/2	2 ,,
44/	1 word.

* "Ch" counted as one letter.

2 per cent.	3 words.
2°/ₒ	2 ,,
Hundertvierunddreissig (22 letters)	3 ,,
Three hundred fifty one	4 ,,
Threehundredfiftyone (20 letters)	2 ,,
E.	1 word.
E.M.	2 words.
$\frac{A.\ P.}{M.}$ (Commercial mark)	2 ,,
$\frac{2}{M.}$ (,,)	2 ,,
G H F. (,,)	1 word.
G H 2 (,,)	2 words.
G.H.F. 45 (,,)	4 ,,
Emotch (letter cipher)	Inadmissible.
Tmrly (,, ,,)	Inadmissible.

Rule 25.—In foreign telegrams which contain cipher, the words in ordinary language or in Code are counted according to Rule 23, and groups of figures according to Rule 24.

I.—Words in a language not admissible under Rule 4, I, II, *cannot be sent.*

DELIVERY.

Rule 26.—Foreign telegrams may be addressed either to the place of residence of the addressee, or *poste restante* (to be kept at the Post Office till called for), or *bureau restant* (to be kept at the Telegraph Office till called for).

I.—A telegram taken to the place of residence of the addressee may be delivered either to the addressee, to any adult member of his family, to any of his employés, lodgers, or guests, or to the porter of the hotel or house in which he resides, unless the addressee has designated in writing a special person to receive it, or the sender has instructed that the telegram be delivered to the addressee only. This last demand, if made, should be mentioned in the address of the telegram, and is written on the envelope by the office of delivery.

II.—When a telegram is addressed "*bureau restant,*" it is delivered only to the addressee himself or to a person duly appointed by him.

III.—When a telegram cannot be delivered, the terminal office intimates the fact by a *Service* telegram to the office of origin, which verifies the correctness of the address, and immediately rectifies any error. If the address has been correctly transmitted, the sender is informed of the non-delivery, but he can only supplement the address by a fresh private telegram. (*See Rule* 15, *V.*)

IV.—If, in consequence of inaccuracy or insufficiency of address, or the absence or refusal of the addressee, the expenses of a special messenger are not paid on arrival, the costs incurred are specified in the advice of non-delivery or refusal, and *are recoverable from the sender.*

V.—On payment of a fee of ten rupees per annum, or of fifty rupees for all time, any person expecting to receive telegrams may register an abbreviated address at any Government Telegraph Office. (*See also Rule* 5, *I.*)

VI.—Every telegram which has to be transmitted to its destination by post, or deposited "*poste restante*" is posted as an unregistered letter by the office of delivery, without extra charge either to the sender or addressee, except in the following cases:—

(*a*) Telegrams which have to be transmitted to destination by *sea* post, either in consequence of interruption to a submarine line, or by reason of being addressed to a country not connected with the International Telegraph system, are subject to a charge for postage payable by the *sender.**

(*b*) Telegrams transmitted to an office situated near a frontier, to be delivered by post in the neighbouring territory, are posted as unpaid letters, and the postage is payable by the *addressee.*

(*c*) Telegrams which it is desired should be delivered by Inland post, or deposited "*poste restante*" as *registered* letters, are subject to a charge of 4 annas, *payable by the sender:* such telegrams should bear the official instructions '*poste recommandée*' or 'PR.' (*See Rule* 6, I.)

RECORDS.

Rule 27.—The sender or addressee after proving his identity, or the authorized attorney of either, has a right to be furnished with certified true copies of foreign telegrams sent or received by him.

I.—This right is contingent on the exact date and description of the telegram to which the request refers being mentioned, and ceases after the expiration of 18 months from the date of the telegram, as the originals and copies of telegrams are only preserved for that period.

II.—For every such copy, a fee of 4 annas per 100 words, or fraction of 100 words, is payable.

REFUNDS.

Rule 28.—The sender of a foreign telegram may claim a refund, from the Administration to which he tendered it, of the full cost of—

1*st*:—*Any* telegram which has suffered a serious delay in transmission.

I.—In case of delay, the claim for reimbursement is absolute if the telegram did not reach its destination sooner than it would have done by post, or if the delay exceeds six days.

* On telegrams from India addressed to places *out of India*, which are to be posted from an Indian seaport to destination, the sender also prepays a postage and registration fee of eight annas.

II.—In case of interruption on a submarine line, the sender of any telegram has a right to a refund of the portion of the charge belonging to the distance not traversed, deduction being made, if necessary, of the expense incurred in sending the telegram by any other mode of transport.

2*ndly.*—*Any* telegram which has not been delivered.

I.—In the case of non-delivery it must be shown to have resulted from the fault of the Telegraph Service: no refund is claimable if the address be insufficient. (*See* Rule 5, *I.*)

II.—The charges on telegrams stopped in transit under the operation of Rule 2 are returned to the sender.

3*rdly.*—Words lost in the transmission of an '*uncollated*' (*i.e.*, not a repeated) telegram.

I.—Unless the omission shall have been rectified under the facilities offered by Rule 15.

4*thly.*—A '*collated*' (repeated) telegram which in consequence of errors in its transmission has manifestly been unable to fulfil its object.

I.—No refund is given for errors made in transmission of *uncollated* telegrams.

Rule 29.—Every claim for a refund in respect of a foreign telegram should be made, under penalty of rejection, within *six months* of the date of the telegram, and should be addressed to the *Check Office, Government Telegraph Department, Calcutta.*

I.—Claims for refund should be supported as follows :—In case of non-delivery by a written statement from the terminal office or addressee, and proof of the registration of the address if the latter was an abbreviated one: in case of *mutilation* or *delay*, by the copy actually delivered to the addressee and by a certificate stating that in consequence of the errors complained of, the telegram *failed to fulfil its object.* The particular errors which led to this result should also be specially mentioned.

II.—When a claim is admitted to be well founded by the Administration in fault the refund is made to the sender by the *Check Office.*

III.—If the sender does not reside in the country when he deposited his telegram for transmission, he can have his claim forwarded to the original Administration through the medium of another Administration. In this case, if it becomes evident on investigation that the claim is well founded, the latter is deputed to make the refund.

IV.—A complaint regarding a telegram received in India may, if the addressee chooses, be addressed to the *Government Telegraph Check Office, Calcutta,* which, if possible, disposes of it; otherwise, it is returned to be presented at the Office of Origin.

V. Complaints are not forwarded when the fault complained of does not give the sender a claim to refund, or has resulted from an omission or irregularity on his part.

VI.—The refund rules apply only to the cost of the actual telegrams lost, delayed, or mutilated, *and not to the cost of any further correspondence caused or rendered useless by such loss, delay, or mutilation.*

VII.—Except in the case of the exception mentioned in Rule 15, III, the refund rules do not apply to telegrams which pass over the lines of States which have not joined the International Convention or of other Administrations which do not observe its regulations.

No. 146.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased, under the provisions of section 7, Act XIII of 1885, entitled "The Telegraph Act," to order the following Rules and Rates for Inland Telegrams to have effect from the 1st July 1886 :—

RULES AND RATES FOR INLAND TELEGRAMS.

GENERAL.

Rule 1.—The accuracy of telegrams is not guaranteed, and the sender and receiver must accept all risks arising from non-delivery, errors, or delays.

Rule 2.—Telegraph Offices in India are distinguished as follows :—

(*a*) Government Telegraph Offices—
These include the Telegraph Departmental Offices and Postal combined Offices.

(*b*) Railway Telegraph Offices—
These include State Railway Offices and Railway Offices not the property of the State which are licensed for working under section 4, Act XIII of 1885. Under this head are also included Telegraph Offices on Canals.

I.—Telegrams are accepted at all Government Telegraph Offices during the hours they are open for business according to their classification notified in the list of offices published in the Telegraph Guide.

II.—Telegraph Offices of the 1st class are open day and night.

III.—Telegraph Offices of the 2nd class are open 14 hours daily, or from 7 A.M. to 9 P.M. (local time), except on Sundays, Christmas-day, New Year's-day, Good Friday, and the Queen's Birthday, when they are open only from 7 to 9 A.M. and from 4 to 9 P.M. These hours are subject to modification to suit local requirements.

IV.—Telegraph Offices of the 3rd class are open about seven hours daily, and usually from 10 A.M. to 5 P.M. (local time), except on Sundays, Christmas-day, New Year's-day, Good Friday, and the Queen's Birthday, when they are open only from 7 to 9 A.M. and 4 to 6 P.M. These hours are subject to modification to suit local requirements.

V.—In cases of life and death, or of extraordinary emergency, an 'urgent' telegram can be sent from any office at any time.

VI.—Railway Telegraph Offices accept telegrams at such hours as they may be open for business, but always subject to the necessities of Railway traffic.

Rule 3.—Telegrams are accepted at all Post Offices.

I.—Post Offices in telegraph connection with Telegraph Offices are called "Postal combined Offices."

II.—Post Offices not in telegraph connection with Telegraph Offices receive Telegrams and despatch them by post to a Telegraph Office and are called "Postal Receiving Offices." Such telegrams are sent "registered" and "postage free" by first post.

Rule 4.—Telegrams may also be posted to the nearest Telegraph Office, together with telegraph or postage stamps sufficient for their payment, and in this case a receipt for the amount will be returned post free to the sender.

I.—In the case of a telegram set by post to a Telegraph Office with an insufficient number of stamps, the excess charge will be recovered from the addressee.

Rule 5.—A telegram can be sent from any Government Telegraph Office to any Railway Telegraph Office, or *vice versâ*, without additional charge.

Rule 6.—Telegrams can be addressed to places where there are no Telegraph Offices.

I.—In such cases the sender must state from what Telegraph Office delivery is to be effected.

Example.—"To Sherghotty, Post Burhee."

The extra words "Post Burhee" form part of the address and are therefore sent free of charge.

II.—No charge will be made for ordinary *Inland* postage or registration on a telegram addressed to a place in India where there is no Telegraph Office, but in the case of telegrams which have to be posted in India to places beyond Indian limits, eight annas additional is charged to cover the postage and registration fees.

Rule 7.—All telegrams must be legibly written in the Roman character or in Arabic numerals. Subject to the above limitation, telegrams may be sent in the vernacular, or any foreign language, or in cipher if written in Arabic numerals.

I.—Telegram forms are supplied free at all Telegraph and Post Offices.

II.—At Telegraph and Post Offices in places other than the presidency towns, every assistance possible is to be afforded to natives in the translation of their telegrams into English, and of telegrams in English addressed to them into the Vernacular.

III.—The body of the telegram must be preceded by the address [as defined in Rule 10 (vi)].

IV.—The true signature and address of the sender must always be written at the foot of the telegram.

V.—The sender of a private telegram can always be called upon to prove that the signature attached to it is genuine.

VI.—Every interlineation, reference, erasure, or alteration of words must be authenticated by the sender of the telegram or by his representative.

Rule 8.—No telegram or telegrams of more than five hundred words can be sent at any one time by any private individual or firm, and no second telegram by the same individual or firm till after the lapse of three hours, unless the telegraph lines be free of all other traffic.

Rule 9.—Telegraph offices are required to refuse to transmit a telegram which may be of a decidedly objectionable or alarming character. Should the character of a telegram be open to doubt, the matter shall be referred to a Secretary to Government if the telegram be tendered at a seat of Government, or to the chief civil or military officer if tendered at another place.

CHARGES.

Rule 10.—There are three classes of telegrams, urgent, ordinary, deferred, and the following are the rates of charge for State and Private telegrams between any two offices in India :—

	Urgent.		Ordinary.		Deferred.	
	RS.	A.	RS.	A.	RS.	A.
First 8 words or groups of 3 figures	2	0	1	0	0	8
Each additional word or group of 3 figures ..	0	4	0	2	0	1

I.—'Urgent' telegrams receive instant transmission and have the right of precedence over ordinary messages and of special delivery at destination.

II.—'Ordinary' telegrams are transmitted in their turn after urgent telegrams, and are delivered by messengers between day-break and 9 P.M. local time.

III.—'Deferred' telegrams are transmitted when the lines are clear of *urgent* and *ordinary* telegrams, and are usually delivered by post.

IV.—No charge is made for the transmission of the address.

V.—The 'address' includes names of office from and to which the telegram is to be despatched, the actual names or designations of the sender and addressee, and the latter's address. No other words can be transmitted unless paid for as part of the body of the message, and Telegraph officials are authorized to omit from the address any words which are not essential to the correct delivery of the telegram.

VI.—If the sender of a telegram desire his own address to be telegraphed, it must be paid for.

VII.—The address must contain all the information necessary to ensure the delivery of the telegram at its destination, and the sender in all cases supports the consequences of insufficiency of address. After the telegram is once despatched, it can neither be cancelled, completed, nor rectified, except by the despatch of a fresh paid telegram.

VIII.—With the exception specified in clause XIV of this rule, all charges on telegrams must be prepaid in the following manner :—

(*a*) At Government Telegraph Departmental Offices in telegraph stamps only.
(*b*) At Postal combined Offices in telegraph stamps or postage stamps at the option of the sender.
(*c*) At Postal Receiving Offices in telegraph stamps or postage stamps or in cash at the option of the sender.

(*d*) At Railway Telegraph Offices in cash or telegraph stamps at the option of the sender.

(*e*) Telegrams sent by post to any Telegraph Office from a place where there is no Telegraph Office may be paid for in telegraph stamps or postage stamps.

IX.—Telegraph stamps are double-headed, the object being that the upper half shall be returned on the receipt (whereby the sender receives a guarantee that his telegram has not been suppressed for the sake of the stamps), and the lower half shall be affixed to the telegram as voucher to Government that it has been prepaid.

X.—The senders of telegrams must affix their telegraph stamps on the spaces left blank for the purpose on the telegram forms—the upper half on the receipt, the lower half on the telegram,—and they should see that the stamps are defaced with the office stamp which bears the name of the office and the date.

XI.—Telegraph stamps which have been cut in two, before being sent into a Telegraph Office, or are in any way defaced, discolored, or damaged, are not accepted.

XII.—The value of damaged telegraph stamps will ordinarily be refunded on application to the Government Telegraph Check Office, Calcutta, if such application be accompanied by a statement of the cause of damage, and if no doubt exists that the damaged stamps are genuine and that the damage was not intentional.

XIII.—Stamped receipts for telegram charges are not given at 'Postal Combined' or 'Railway' Telegraph Offices.

XIV.—Telegrams are sent 'bearing' from sea-ports when received for despatch by mail steamers or other vessels; but no such telegram, whether 'prepaid' or 'bearing,' will be transmitted until the name of the vessel from which it is received is known at the Telegraph Office. Bearing telegrams will not be delivered to the addressees until after payment has been obtained.

APPLICATION OF CHARGES.

Rule 11.—The maximum length of a word is fixed at six syllables. The excess is counted as a word.

Rule 12.—Telegrams must not contain any unusual combinations, abbreviations, or constructions.

I.—Any word in common use, which, although requiring two words to express it, is generally recognized as one word, is charged as one word when so written; provided that the two parts are not joined by a hyphen or apostrophe, and that the whole is of six or less than six syllables. "Half, penny," "twopence," "threepence," &c., up to "elevenpence," when written as a single word-count as one word only. "F.O.B.," "C.F.I.," "A.M.," and "P.M.," when written as separate letters, are each counted as three and two words respectively; but these specified abbreviations (and no others) when written "fob," "cfi," "am," "pm" are accepted each as one word.

II.—Words joined by a hyphen are counted as so many separate words.

III.—Words separated by an apostrophe are counted as so many separate words, except in the case of nouns in the possessive case, as "General's," "Charles'," "brother's."

IV.—Proper names of towns and persons, names of places, streets, ships, titles, christian names, prefixes, and qualifications are counted for the number of words employed by the sender to express them.

V.—Every isolated character, whether letter or figure, is counted as a word. The same applies to an underline.

VI.—Signs of punctuation, hyphens, apostrophes, inverted commas, parenthesis, fresh paragraphs are not counted or signalled; but decimal points, commas, bars of division, &c., used with figures, are each counted as a figure and signalled.

Rule 13.—When numbers are expressed in figures, all the characters, figures, letters, or signs in each group are added together; the total divided by three, and the quotient, plus one for the remainder, if there be any, gives the number of words the group represents.

I.—Signs used to separate groups and letters added to figures to form ordinal numbers are counted each as a figure or letter. Groups of letters not forming words (letter cipher) cannot be transmitted.

Rule 14.—All that the sender writes in his telegram to be transmitted is to be included in the cost, with the exception of the address as defined in Rule 10 (VI).

I.—The day, hour, and minute (Madras time) at which a telegram is booked when tendered for despatch are added by the Telegraph Office and telegraphed free. Senders may date or time their telegrams if they desire, but in such case their dates or times will be charged for.

Rule 15.—State telegrams from all Government officials must be classed either 'urgent' or 'deferred,' and as a rule paid for in cash or in stamps prior to despatch. The charges are the same for State as for private telegrams.

I.—The rule regarding prepayment will be relaxed in case of great emergency. Whenever an 'urgent' State telegram is tendered for despatch under this permission, the sender must take the necessary steps to ascertain the charges on it, and pay them into the Telegraph Office within 24 hours. The rule cannot be relaxed in case of 'Deferred' State telegrams.

II.—State messages not marked 'Urgent' will be treated as 'Deferred.'

III.—State telegrams take their turn for despatch with 'urgent' and 'deferred' private telegrams according to the order in which they were tendered.

Rule 16.—All telegrams State and Private must be paid for except the following, viz :—

(*a*) Those on the service of the Government Telegraph and Postal Departments which are sent free to and from any Telegraph Office.

(*b*) Those on the service of certain Foreign Governments regarding which the Government of India defines special rules in each case.

REPLY PAID.

Rule 17.—A reply can be prepaid by the sender of a private telegram or of a State telegram addressed to a person, other than a Government official, depositing a sum of not less than eight annas and not more than two rupees. The sender of a reply paid telegram is to add after the text of his telegram (but separated from it) the words " reply paid " and the amount he deposits, thus, " Reply paid ten annas " and such words will not be charged for.

I.—The terminal office delivers to the addressee a ' pass ' or order for the amount prepaid, leaving it to him to send his answer how, and when, and to what address he pleases, or not to send one at all. The reply, if sent, must be accompanied by the ' pass.'

II.—When a telegram to which a reply is prepaid is addressed to a place where there is no Telegraph Office, the telegram and ' pass ' are forwarded to destination from the nearest Telegraph Office by ordinary post free of charge.

III.—Should it be impossible to effect delivery of a ' *Reply paid* ' telegram, the terminal office sends a telegram to that effect to the sender, and the amount deposited will be refunded on application being made to the Telegraph Check Office, Calcutta.

IV.—It is not compulsory on the addressee to send a reply. The duty of the terminal office consists simply in the delivery of the pass for the amount prepaid, leaving him at liberty to do what he pleases with it.

V.—The sender of a State telegram addressed to a Government official may not prepay a reply. And in the case of a State telegram addressed to other than a Government official, any sum deposited by the sender under this rule must be intended for no other purpose than to cover the cost of a return telegram.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF DELIVERY.

Rule 18.—Any sender can, by writing after the text of his telegram (but separated from it) the words " Acknowledgment prepaid," require that a notice of the time at which his telegram is delivered be transmitted to him by telegraph, and the charge for such notice or acknowledgment is one rupee.

I.—This advice of delivery may be addressed to him at any place he may name.

II.—If the telegram cannot be delivered, the return telegram indicates the circumstances which prevented delivery, and, if possible, gives the information necessary to enable the sender to cause his telegram to reach its destination. The return telegram has priority in transmission over ordinary telegrams.

MULTIPLE TELEGRAMS.

Rule 19.—A telegram addressed to several persons in one locality, or to the same person at several places of residence in one locality, with or without transmission by post, is charged for as a single telegram ; but a copying fee of four annas per 100 words, plus four annas for the excess independently of postage, if any, is charged for each destination after the first.

I.—A telegram addressed to several persons, or to the same person in localities where delivery is to be effected by different offices, is charged for as so many separate telegrams.

II.—If the sender wishes each copy of the telegram to bear only the address of the person to whom it is to be delivered, he should add after the text of his telegram, but separated from it, the words "——addresses." If, on the other hand, he desires that each addressee shall be made aware to what other persons the telegram has been addressed, he should add the words "——addresses on each copy." In the absence of special instructions, it will be assumed that he wishes only one address to appear on each copy. In either case these instructions are not charged for.

REPETITION.

Rule 20.—The sender of any telegram can, by writing the word " Repetition " after the text of his telegram (but separated from it), require that it be repeated ; the charge for repeating is equal to one-fourth the charge for the message.

I.—In this case the different offices employed in its transmission repeat it back to each other.

II.—A repeated telegram is indicated by the word ' repeated,' which, to insure the greatest accuracy, is telegraphed (free) both in the official instructions and as the first word of the text of the telegram.

OPEN DELIVERY.

Rule 21.—If the sender desires his telegram to be delivered open, he is to write the words " Deliver open " after the text of his telegram (but separated from it).

CANCELLATION.

Rule 22.—If the sender of an inland telegram wishes to cancel it before transmission has commenced, he can do so ; but the charges upon it will not be returned when once the stamps are obliterated.

I.—If the telegram is in course of transmission, or has already been despatched, it can only be cancelled by a paid telegram from the sender to the terminal office.

II.—If, in addition, the sender wishes to be informed by telegraph in what manner his request has been acted upon, he must deposit the cost of the return telegram.

CERTIFIED COPIES.

Rule 23.—The sender and receiver have a right to be furnished with certified copies of any telegrams sent or received by them. A fee of four annas per hundred words or fraction of one hundred words is payable for every copy furnished.

I.—Within three days of despatch or receipt copies can be given by the Telegraph Office concerned, but after that period applications for copies must be made to the Telegraph Check Office, Calcutta.

II.—Applications for copies must be made within four months of the date of the telegram. At the expiration of that period originals and copies of all telegrams are destroyed.

PRESERVATION.

Rule 24.—Application may be made by an interested party to the Government Telegraph Check Office for the preservation of specified telegrams exchanged between other persons on the ground of pending or contemplated judicial proceedings. Such application must be made within four months of the dates of the telegrams, and such telegrams will then be preserved for a further period of four months, at the expiration of which time they will, in default of a renewed application, be destroyed.

I.—It must be understood that the duty of the Telegraph Department in the matter is confined to making the search and preserving the telegrams if found. No information as to the result of the search will be furnished, and any telegrams answering the description given which may be found will only be produced on the order of a competent court of law or other competent authority.

Rule 25.—Should the particulars furnished be insufficient to enable the Check Office to at cnce trace the telegrams, applied for under either Rule 23 or Rule 24, the cost of searching for them must be deposited by the applicant. A fee of one rupee is charged for searching through the telegrams of any Telegraph Office for one day: thus, if it be required to examine the telegrams of two Telegraph Offices over a period of five days, the searching fee will be ten rupees.

DELIVERY.

Rule 26.—Telegrams are delivered free of charge within five miles of a Telegraph Office. "Deferred" telegrams are usually delivered through the Post Office of the place of destination.

I.—Beyond the free delivery radius distance telegrams will be sent by post without charge, or by such other means as the sender may arrange and pay for.

II.—Should the addressee of a telegram have left the place to which it is addressed, it will, if returned unopened with definite instructions as to the new address, be retransmitted without extra charge.

III.—The messenger who delivers a telegram may be entrusted with the reply, provided he be not detained for this purpose more than five minutes. The fact of the reply having been given to the messenger, and the amount paid to him, should be mentioned on the receipt given for the original telegram.

REGISTERED ADDRESSES.

Rule 27.—Any firm or individual expecting to receive inland or foreign telegrams can register an abbreviated address at the Government Telegraph Office from which such telegrams have to be delivered. The fee for registration of *each* abbreviated address is Rupees 10 per annum, payable in advance on the 1st January in each year, or Rupees 50 for all time with a fine of Rupees 5 for every change of address.

I.—Abbreviated addresses are considered confidential.

II.—No abbreviated address can be accepted which has already been registered locally by another firm or individual.

III.—The Government Telegraph Department accepts no responsibility in respect of the delivery of any telegram having an abbreviated address if such address has not been registered.

REFUNDS.

Rule 28.—If an 'ordinary' or 'urgent' private telegram be not delivered, or be subjected to serious delay through the fault of any Telegraph Administration in India, the whole charge made for it will be returned to the sender.

Rule 29.—If an 'ordinary' or 'urgent' private telegram be delivered wholly or partially in an unintelligible state, a refund will be made only when the extra charge for 'repetition' has been paid by the sender.

Rule 30.—No refund will under any circumstances be made for a State telegram of any class or for a 'deferred' private telegram.

I.—Applications for refunds, as also all complaints respecting telegrams, should be addressed to the Telegraph Check Office, Calcutta. Such claims for refund must be made within one month from the date of the telegram; but this period is extended to two months in the case of a 'repeated' telegram, or of a telegram for which a 'Reply' or an 'Advice of Delivery' has been prepaid.

II.—When no doubt exists as to an overcharge having been made on an inland telegram by the mistake of an official at any Telegraph Office, such overcharge is to be at once refunded by such office.

CLEAR LINE TELEGRAMS.

Rule 31.—On emergent occasions of great importance, the public functionaries named below have the power to 'clear the line,' that is, to suspend the receipt and despatch of all messages until the one for which the line is 'cleared' is passed on :—

(1) The Governor-General of India.
(2) The Governors of Madras and Bombay.
(3) Commanders-in-Chief, India, Madras and Bombay.

(4) Lieutenant-Governors of Bengal and the Punjab, Lieutenant-Governor of North-Western Provinces and Chief Commissioner of Oudh.
(5) Secretaries to the Government of India.
(6) Secretaries to the Governments of Madras, Bombay, Bengal, North-Western Provinces and Punjab.
(7) Chief Commissioners of the Central Provinces, British Burma, and Assam.
(8) Agents to the Governor-General, Rajputana, Central India, and Baluchistan.
(9) Commissioners of Sind and Peshawar.
(10) The Residents at Hyderabad (Deccan) and Mysore.
(11) The Maharaja of Patiala, from the Patiala Office only.
(12) Director-General of Telegraphs in India.

The telegrams so sent are, however, to be paid for as other State 'urgent' telegrams.

PRESS TELEGRAMS.

Rule 32.—The following are the rates charged for press telegrams :—

	First 32 words or groups of three figures.	Every 4 additional words or group of three figures.	Remarks.
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	
Urgent	2 0 0	0 4 0	Between any two Government Telegraph Offices in India.
Ordinary	1 0 0	0 2 0	
Deferred	0 8 0	0 1 0	

Rule 33.—A press telegram to be accepted at press rates must fulfil the following conditions :—

I.—It must be addressed to a newspaper, the name of which is contained in the Telegraph Department list of registered newspapers. (Applications for the registration of newspapers should be made on forms to be obtained at Government Telegraph Department Signal offices.)

II.—It must be addressed to the newspaper in accordance with its registered title and to the town at which the newspaper is registered as being printed and published.

III.—It must, except as provided hereafter in condition (V), contain only intelligence which is clearly intended for publication in the strict sense of the term, and must not contain commercial news of any kind.

IV.—It must be written in the English language.

V.—It may also be a telegram sent from or to the newspaper by its registered title (but not in the name of the editor, publisher, manager, or any other person) to or from its correspondents or employes on the subject of a telegram published or to be published or to an official of the Government Telegraph Department on matters of press business.

VI.—If a press telegram be addressed to the editor, publisher, manager, or any other person connected with the newspaper by name or person, it is chargeable at the full inland rates (see condition II).

VII.—Whenever demanded, a copy of every newspaper in which a press telegram is published must be furnished to the Telegraph office, from which that press telegram was delivered.

VIII.—A single press telegram must not exceed 256 words (8 units of charge). Long news messages must be broken up into separate telegrams, all of which must be numbered and each of which, except the last, must contain the words "more to follow." These words and the numbers are to be written by the sender in the space left in the telegram form for "official instructions," and they will not be charged for.

Example.—A long news message of 1,000 words would require at least 4 telegrams numbered, in the space set apart of "official instructions," 1, 2, 3 and 4, and numbers 1, 2, 3 would also bear the words "more to follow" in the official instructions.

Rule 34.—The Press telegram rates apply only to telegrams which satisfy all the conditions of Rule 33, and any subsequent claim made by the Government Telegraph Department for the difference between press and full inland rates must be satisfied immediately on demand.

Rule 35.—Press Telegrams may be accepted "Bearing" from correspondents, provided that any newspaper, which may desire the facility, obtain previous special sanction from the Director-General of Telegraphs.

Rule 36.—The Press Telegram Rules do not apply to Railway Telegraph systems.

W. S. TREVOR, Colonel,
Secretary to the Government of India.

RAILWAY TRAFFIC.

No. V of 1886-87.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts and Expenses of Indian Railways.

Latest Return received.	Railways.	Total Mean Length open.	Receipts for Week ending 9th May 1885.		Total Mean Length open.	Receipts for Week ending 8th May 1886.		Total Receipts from 1st April to 9th May 1885.		Total Receipts from 1st April to 8th May 1886.		Total Increase in 1886-87.	Total Decrease in 1886-87.
			Total.	Per Mile open.		Total.	Per Mile open.	Total.	Per Mile open per Week.	Total.	Per Mile open per Week.		
	Guaranteed.		RS.	RS.		RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1886. 8th May.	Oudh and Rohilkhand.	608	1,47,144	242	680	1,66,952	246	7,64,711	226	8,82,684	239	1,17,973	...
15th do.	Madras	861	1,48,183	172	861	1,48,339	172	7,87,797	165	7,82,966	167	...	4,831
8th do.	South Indian ...	654	86,759	133	654	95,414	146	5,00,281	137	5,34,503	151	34,222	...
15th do.	Great Indian Peninsula.	1,504	10,89,087	724	1,504	11,50,319	765	56,79,565	678	57,73,129	709	93,564	...
8th do.	Bombay, Baroda, and Central India.	461	3,37,501	732	461	3,38,000	733	17,67,048	688	18,68,327	746	1,01,279	...
	Total ...	4,088	18,08,674	442	4,160	18,99,024	456	94,99,402	417	98,41,609	440	3,42,207	...
	State.												
1886. 15th May.	East Indian	1,509	11,15,161	739	1,515	10,42,765	688	58,22,026	692	55,16,371	671	...	3,05,655
8th May.	Eastern Bengal ...	233	79,045	339	234	82,124	351	5,01,388	386	4,48,863	354	...	52,525
15th do.	Nalhati	27	1,138	42	27	1,496	55	8,172	54	9,644	65	1,472	...
8th do.	Northern Bengal ...	249	36,397	146	249	45,900	184	2,11,907	153	2,40,570	178	28,663	...
15th do.	Kaunia-Dharla ...	37	3,103	84	37	2,117	57	17,225	83	12,527	62	...	4,698
15th do.	Tirhoot	226	27,775	123	246	31,047	126	1,66,960	132	1,73,829	130	6,869	...
15th do.	Patna-Gya	57	9,764	171	57	12,980	227	60,818	191	73,332	236	12,514	...
15th do.	Cawnpore-Achnera ...	249	14,907	60	253	25,520	101	91,446	66	1,22,936	89	31,490	...
15th do.	Dildarnagar-Ghazipur	12	1,561	130	12	1,556	130	7,320	109	7,142	110	...	178
15th do.	Rajputana-Malwa ..	1,411	3,07,840	218	1,411	3,70,000	262	17,77,377	226	20,01,000	261	2,23,623	...
15th do.	Wardha Coal ...	45	18,263	406	45	15,446	343	80,993	323	94,577	387	13,584	..
15th do.	Nagpur & Chhattisgarh.	149	48,086	323	149	48,623	326	2,99,055	360	2,89,151	357	...	9,904
8th do.	British Burma ...	254	46,314	182	327	42,606	130	3,15,369	223	2,86,013	161	...	29,356
15th do.	Sindia	75	6,224	84	75	7,561	101	42,298	102	43,249	106	951	...
8th do.	North-Western ..	1,803	8,30,231	461	1,803	4,52,548	251	41,99,333	418	27,24,507	279	...	14,74,826
8th do.	Amritsar-Pathankot ...	66	6,018	91	66	5,487	83	37,821	103	34,639	97	...	3,182
15th do.	Bareilly-Pilibhit ..	36	1,260	35	36	1,842	51	8,737	43	10,866	50	2,129	...
15th do.	Dacca	10	1,840	184	86	3,658	43	11,671	209	26,872	57	15,201	...
8th do.	Jorhat	23	539	23	30	431	14	2,252	18	3,077	19	825	...
15th do.	Cawnpore-Kalpi ...	...	...	...	42	2,696	64	..	...	14,626	64	14,626	...
	Total ...	4,962	14,40,305	290	5,185	11,53,638	222	78,40,142	284	66,17,420	235	...	12,22,722
	Grand Total (Guaranteed and State) ...	10,559	43,64,140	413	10,860	40,95,427	377	2,31,61,570	393	2,19,75,400	372	...	11,86,170
	Gross Estimated Expenses ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,06,54,322	181	1,12,07,454	189	...	...
	Net Receipts ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,25,07,248	212	1,07,67,946	183	...	17,39,302
	Assisted Companies.												
1886. 8th May.	Bengal Central ...	126	9,792	78	126	11,547	92	59,421	85	55,755	82	...	3,666
15th do.	Rohilkhand and Kumaon.	67	4,500	67	67	6,799	101	29,688	80	41,707	115	12,019	...
1st do.	Assam	...	(a)	...	...	(a)	...	(b) 20,377	57	(c) 30,944	90	10,567	...
8th do.	Southern Mahratta ...	214	12,277	57	316	32,496	103	65,101	55	1,71,292	109	1,06,191	...
8th do.	Bengal and North-Western.	303	30,450	101	303	45,610	151	1,55,633	92	2,35,391	143	79,758	...
15th do.	Tarakessur	22	5,001	227	22	5,085	231	36,075	295	36,508	302	433	...
	Total ...	732	62,020	85	834	1,01,537	122	3,66,295	81	5,71,597	116	2,05,302	...
	Native States.												
1886. 15th May.	Bhavnagar-Gondal ...	193	28,719	149	193	30,758	159	1,46,108	136	1,47,657	141	1,549	...
15th do.	Jodhpore	64	3,280	51	64	4,430	69	16,704	47	23,575	68	6,871	..
1st do.	Nizam's	...	(a)	...	...	(a)	...	(b) 1,08,666	160	(c) 1,00,393	109	...	8,273
8th do.	Mysore	140	7,426	53	140	8,369	60	41,935	54	42,807	56	872	...
8th do.	Rajpura-Patiala ...	16	771	48	16	1,330	83	5,904	67	7,213	83	1,309	...
	Total ...	413	40,196	97	413	44,887	109	3,19,317	107	3,21,645	93	2,328	...

N.B.—As regards the figures in column "Total receipts from 1st April to date," audited figures have been availed of as far as possible.

(a) Return not received.
(b) Total receipts from 1st April to 2nd May 1885.
(c) Total receipts from 1st April to 1st May 1886.

SIMLA,
The 2nd June 1886.

FRED. FIREBRACE, Major, R.E.,
Under Secretary.

REVENUE AND AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

Reports on the State of the Season and Prospects of the Crops for the Week ending 2nd June 1886.

General Remarks.—Rain is reported generally from nearly all parts of India, except Sind and portions of the North-Western Provinces and Oudh, Punjab, Rajputana, and Central India. The falls have been heaviest in the south of the Madras and Bombay Presidencies, in Northern Bengal, Assam, and British Burma.

In Madras, Mysore, and Coorg the crops are generally in good condition and prospects continue favorable. In Bombay and Berar preparations for the *kharif* continue. In Hyderabad the hot-weather crops are still being reaped. Agricultural prospects are generally good in Central India, but in Rajputana the water-supply in failing.

In the North-Western Provinces and Oudh and the Central Provinces *kharif* preparations continue and prospects are good. The *rabi* harvest is still in progress in the Punjab.

In Bengal cultivation is forward, and agricultural prospects are generally very favorable. Prospects continue good in Assam.

The public health is on the whole satisfactory.

Prices are fluctuating in the Punjab and are rising in parts of Rajputana. Elsewhere they are generally steady.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for Week under Report.	State of Agricultural Prospects.
Madras—(June 2nd).		
Bellary	Average last week since revised, ·85; this week, ·31.	Standing wet crops generally good in parts of two taluks, but water insufficient to support them; harvest paddy, sugar-cane and cotton, yield about average. Cattle-disease in two taluks.
Kurnool	Average ·47	Small-pox in three and cattle-disease in two taluks.
Ganjam	Average last week since revised, ·62; this week, ·82.	Slight small-pox in three, fever in two, and cattle-disease in five taluks; slight cholera.
Kistna	Average ·52	Slight fever; cholera in ten taluks and one division.
Chingleput (Madras).	Average 3·79	Standing crops fair; harvest wet and dry grains, outturn below average. Fever abating in one taluk; cattle-disease in two taluks.
Coimbatore ..	Average 3·41	Standing crops good; harvest paddy and *cholum*, outturn paddy average, *cholum* above average. Fever in one taluk and slight small-pox in another.
Tanjore	Average 5·03	Standing crops damaged by heavy rain and wind; harvest gingelly and cotton, outturn below average. Slight cholera.
Madura	Average last week since revised, ·94; this week, ·76.	Health of people and cattle generally good.
Malabar	Average ·08	Harvest third-crop paddy, outturn below average; first crop germinating. Fever in one, slight small-pox in eight, and cholera in three taluks; cattle-disease in one taluk.
Travancore ..	6·73	Harvest paddy, yield average. Small-pox and fever in parts. *General Remarks.*—General prospects fair.

Reports on the State of the Season and Prospects of the Crops for the Week ending 9th June 1886.

General Remarks.—Rain is reported generally from all parts of India, except Sind, the North-Western Provinces, and the Punjab. In the south of the peninsula, in Assam, and in the tracts east of the Bay of Bengal, especially at Chittagong, the falls have been heavy.

In most parts of Madras and in Mysore and Coorg prospects continue good.

Preparations for the *kharif* are in progress in Bombay, Berar, and the Central Provinces, and have commenced in the North-Western Provinces and Oudh and in the Mooltan and Shahpur districts of the Punjab. The *rabi* in the Punjab is not yet completely gathered.

Agricultural prospects have improved in Rajputana, the water-supply in most States having been replenished by the recent rain.

Cultivation is going on well in Bengal, and the crops in the ground are thriving. The state and prospects of the crops in Assam continue satisfactory.

The public health is fair in Madras, Bombay, and the Central Provinces, and generally good elsewhere.

Prices, except in the Punjab, where they are fluctuating, are generally steady.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for Week under Report.	State of Agricultural Prospects.
Madras—(June 9th).		
Bellary	Average 1·56	Standing wet crops generally good; harvest second crop paddy, yield about average. Cattle-disease in two taluks.
Kurnool	Average 1·22	Small-pox in three taluks, cattle-disease in one.
Ganjam	Average 1·08	Slight small-pox in five and cattle-disease in three taluks; slight cholera. Average number employed on Chilka canal last week 186.
Kistna	Average 3·46	River 2·5 feet over anicut. Slight fever; cholera in eight taluks.
Chingleput (Madras).	Average 3·22	Standing crops good; harvest wet and dry grains, outturn below average. Cattle-disease in three taluks.
Coimbatore ..	Average ·54	Standing crops good, but *cholum* suffering from insects in parts of four taluks; harvest paddy and *cholum*, outturn average. Fever in one taluk, small-pox abating in another.
Tanjore	Average last week since revised, 5·05; this week, 1·11.	Standing crops good, except in parts where some garden crops damaged by late heavy rain and wind; harvest paddy and cotton, outturn below average. Slight cholera in one taluk.
Madura	Average last week since revised, ·83; this week, ·46.	Health of people and cattle generally good.
Malabar	Average 3·06	Harvest third crop paddy, outturn below average. Fever in one, slight small-pox in nine, and cholera in three taluks.
Travancore ..	2·51	Small-pox and fever in parts. *General Remarks.*—General prospects fair.

C. J. LYALL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

NOTIFICATION.

ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.

PUBLIC DEBT.

Simla, the 11th June 1886.

No. 1347.—As it does not appear to be generally known that Government promissory notes can be readily converted into stock certificates, and reconverted into promissory notes, at the option of the holders, and that stock certificate-holders enjoy certain special advantages, the attention of holders of Government securities is drawn to the following particulars :—

1. Government promissory notes can be converted into stock certificates and reconverted into promissory notes at any time, at the option of the holder.

2. The holders of stock certificates are not required to present them in person or by agent when the interest becomes due. On application made, interest will be paid to stock certificate-holders by warrants on any Government treasury, which warrants will be sent by post, on the day the interest falls due, to the stock certificate-holders direct, or through the treasury officer, as they may desire.

3. Stock certificates are not negotiable by endorsement, and are consequently of no value in the hands of a wrongful holder, and the risks arising from the possession of, or repeated transmission of, negotiable securities are thereby avoided.

4. In the event of the loss of a stock certificate by theft, fire, &c., a fresh certificate will issue on satisfactory evidence of loss.

NOTE.—Further particulars can be obtained on reference to the Public Debt Offices, Calcutta, Madras and Bombay.

D. M. BARBOUR,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

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Part II.—Miscellaneous Notifications.

APPOINTMENTS, LEAVE OF ABSENCE, &c.

Medical.

Leave.—Mr. M. Parasuram Naicker, Assistant to the District Surgeon of Nellore, is granted one month's privilege leave with effect from date of departure.

(By order.)

Office of Surgn.-Genl. with the Govt. of Madras,
Fort St. George, 24th June 1886.

DONALD F. DYMOTT, M.B., Surgeon,
Ag. Secy. to Surgn.-Genl. with the Govt. of Madras.

Judicial.

Appointment.—The High Court has confirmed the following provisional appointment made by the Acting District Judge of Kistna under the provisions of section 26, Act III of 1873 :—

M.R.Ry. Varanasi Subramaniyam Garu, B.A., B.L., First-grade Pleader, Kistna District, to act as Fourth-grade District Munsif of Bezvada during the absence of M.R.Ry. E. Subbaroyudu Naidu Garu on leave, or until further orders.

High Court of Judicature, Madras,
21st June 1886.

W. MORGAN,
Deputy Registrar, Appellate Side.

Appointment.—The following appointment has been made by the Chief Judge :—

Mr. Frederick Basil Lovery (Attorney-at-Law) to act as Head Clerk of the Court of Small Causes, Madras, during the employment of M.R.Ry. P. Runganadhum Moodelliar on other duty, or until further orders.

Madras Court of Small Causes,
21st June 1886.

J. M. MASKELL,
Registrar.

EDUCATIONAL.

Leave.—Under section 138 of the Civil Leave Code the Acting Director of Public Instruction is pleased to grant privilege leave for three months to Mrs. Brander, Inspectress of Girls' Schools, from or after 17th July 1886.

Office of Director of Public Instruction,
Madras, 17th June 1886.

D. DUNCAN,
Acting Director of Public Instruction.

REVENUE.

Leave.—Mr. R. W. Morse, Assistant Inspector in the Salt and Abkári Department, is granted three months' leave on medical certificate with effect from 16th March 1886.

Leave.—Mr. T. C. Beale, Acting Assistant Inspector in the Salt and Abkári Department, is granted two months' leave on medical certificate with effect from 9th May 1886.

Madras, 18th June 1886.

Leave.—Mr. H. T. Freemantle, Assistant Inspector in the Salt and Abkári Department, is granted privilege leave for three months with effect from 1st July 1886.

Extension of Leave.—Mr. Irving Brown, Assistant Inspector in the Salt and Abkári Department, is granted sick leave for three weeks in extension of the leave granted to him in Part II of the *Fort St. George Gazette* of 11th June 1886.

Madras, 21st June 1886.

Transfer.—Mr. T. C. Beale, Acting Assistant Inspector in the Salt and Abkári Department, is transferred from the Manikpatna to the Balasore Circle, with effect from the date of the expiry of the two months' leave on medical certificate granted to him.

Madras, 23rd June 1886.

Leave.—Three months' privilege leave is granted to Mr. C. Palmer, Assistant Inspector of Salt and Abkári Revenue, with effect from the 29th May 1886.

Leave.—Mr. R. W. Allan, Acting Assistant Inspector in the Salt and Abkári Department, is granted leave on medical certificate for three months with effect from 14th May 1886.

Appointment and Posting.—M.R.Ry. M. Raghavulu Naidu, Second-grade Sub-Inspector, is appointed Acting Assistant Inspector and posted to the Kanuparti Circle as a temporary measure.

The notification appointing M.R.Ry. T. Vaithianatha Iyer Acting Assistant Inspector, published in the *Fort St. George Gazette* dated the 11th instant, Part II, page 870, is cancelled.

Salt and Abkári Commissioner's Office,
Madras, 24th June 1886.

C. A. GALTON,
Ag. Commissioner of Salt and Abkári Revenue.

FOREST.

Promotions to have effect from 1st July.—N. Armauga Moodelliar, Forest Ranger, Third Grade, Coimbatore, South, to act in the Second Grade.

A. Durgiah Nayudu, Forest Ranger, Fourth Grade, North Arcot District, to act in the Third Grade.

T. Narayanaswami Aiyar, Ranger, Fifth Grade, to act in the Fourth Grade.

Transfers.—T. Venkatasubbaiyar, Forest Ranger, Third Grade, South Arcot District, to the North Arcot District.

Mr. A. Srinivasa Chamberlain, Forest Ranger, Fifth Grade (on probation), doing duty in Central Office, to South Arcot District.

Office of Consr. of Forests in charge of Sn. Dn.,
Madras, 24th June 1886.

I. CAMPBELL-WALKER, Lt.-Col.,
Conservator of Forests, in charge of Sn. Dn.

GENERAL NOTIFICATIONS.

MUHAMMADAN EDUCATIONAL ENDOWMENTS.

The Government Committee now considering the question of the appropriation of Muhammadan Educational Endowments are ready to receive representations from any persons who may have complaints to make on that subject. The question under investigation is, whether in endowments made by Nawabs or Rajahs for Durgahs, Shrines, &c., there are any cases where a portion was set aside originally for educational purposes, but is now not being so employed.

2. Petitions should be addressed to the President, Muhammadan Endowment Committee, Fort St. George, Madras.

SANITARY COMMISSIONER.

RETURN showing the BIRTHS and DEATHS registered in the MUNICIPALITIES of the MADRAS PRESIDENCY containing 25,000 inhabitants and upwards for the week ending 21st May 1886.

Municipalities.	Population.	BIRTHS.							DEATHS.													RATIO PER 1,000 OF POPULATION PER ANNUM.	
		CLASS.				TOTAL BIRTHS.			CLASS.				TOTAL DEATHS.			CAUSES OF DEATH.							
		Christians.	Muhammadans.	Hindus.	Other Classes.	M.	F.	Total.	Christians.	Muhammadans.	Hindus.	Other Classes.	M.	F.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Fevers.	Bowel-complaints.	Injuries.	All other Causes.	Total Births.	Total Deaths.
Trichinopoly ..	84,449	6	1	32	..	15	24	39	3	3	26	..	15	17	32	..	1	8	7	..	16	24·0	19·7
Madura ..	76,847	3	9	58	..	39	31	70	2	7	52	..	27	34	61	..	1	7	12	2	39	47·3	41·2
Calicut ..	57,085	1	14	15	..	21	9	30	7	13	16	..	20	16	36	2	..	4	4	..	26	27·3	32·7
Tanjore ..	54,745	1	2	13	..	8	8	16	..	2	9	..	4	7	11	..	..	2	1	..	8	15·1	10·4
Negapatam ..	53,855	2	8	18	..	17	11	28	2	7	19	..	18	10	28	..	6	4	5	..	13	27·0	27·0
Bellary ..	53,460	3	11	10	..	16	8	24	3	10	13	..	13	13	26	..	3	8	..	1	14	23·3	25·2
Salem ..	59,631	..	1	24	..	12	13	25	1	1	17	..	5	14	19	..	..	6	3	..	10	21·8	16·5
Kumbakonam ..	50,098	2	2	33	..	20	17	37	..	3	40	..	23	20	43	..	2	7	6	..	28	38·4	44·6
Cuddalore ..	43,545	..	..	26	..	15	11	26	..	..	13	..	6	7	13	..	..	1	4	..	8	21·0	15·5
Coimbatore ..	38,967	1	2	30	..	19	14	33	..	1	25	..	16	10	26	..	5	5	1	..	15	44·0	34·6
Vellore ..	37,491	..	1	20	..	9	12	21	..	3	12	..	7	8	15	..	..	5	2	..	8	29·1	20·8
Conjeeveram ..	37,275	..	2	27	..	12	17	29	..	..	20	..	13	7	20	..	..	10	1	..	9	40·4	27·8
Palghat ..	36,339	..	3	13	..	8	8	16	..	..	13	..	3	10	13	..	..	4	..	..	9	22·8	18·6
Masulipatam ..	35,056	..	7	8	..	10	5	15	..	1	8	..	5	4	9	..	..	1	..	..	8	22·2	13·3
Mangalore ..	32,099	3	2	8	..	9	4	13	1	..	4	..	3	2	5	..	..	2	1	..	2	21·0	8·0
Vizagapatam ..	30,291	..	1	9	..	1	9	10	..	..	15	..	7	8	15	..	..	5	1	..	9	17·1	25·7
Cocanada ..	30,441	..	..	10	..	6	4	10	..	1	7	..	6	2	8	..	..	1	..	..	7	17·0	13·6
Nellore ..	27,505	..	6	9	..	3	12	15	..	..	8	..	6	2	8	..	..	2	..	..	6	28·3	15·1
Tellicherry ..	26,410	1	7	6	..	6	8	14	..	3	5	..	7	1	8	..	..	1	..	1	6	27·5	15·7
Cannanore ..	26,386	6	10	11	..	14	13	27	..	5	8	..	6	7	13	..	..	3	..	..	10	53·2	25·6
Ellore ..	25,092	..	5	8	..	7	6	13	..	4	11	..	8	7	15	..	..	2	..	..	13	26·9	31·0
Ootacamund ..	12,335	..	1	4	2	5	2	7	..	4	1	2	4	3	7	..	..	4	..	..	3	29·5	29·5
Total ..	929,402	29	95	392	2	272	246	518	19	68	342	2	222	209	431	2	18	92	48	4	267	28·9	24·1

Office of Sanitary Commissioner, Madras,
23rd June 1886.

GEO. DIQUE,
Manager and Assistant, Office of Sanitary Commissioner, Madras.

Return showing the Births and Deaths registered in the Municipalities of the Madras Presidency containing 25,000 inhabitants and upwards for the week ending 28th May 1886.

Municipalities.	Population.	BIRTHS.							DEATHS.													Ratio per 1,000 of Population per Annum.	
		Class.				Total Births.			Class.				Total Deaths.			Causes of Death.							
		Christians.	Muhammadans.	Hindus.	Other Classes.	M.	F.	Total.	Christians.	Muhammadans.	Hindus.	Other Classes.	M.	F.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Fevers.	Bowel-complaints.	Injuries.	All other Causes.	Total Births.	Total Deaths.
Trichinopoly ..	84,449	Return not received.																					
Madura ..	76,847	1	9	52	..	42	20	62	1	6	45	..	30	22	52	..	2	6	7	1	36	41·9	35·1
Calicut ..	57,085	6	11	15	..	21	11	32	3	15	19	..	23	14	37	4	2	6	5	1	19	29·1	33·6
Tanjore ..	54,745	1	..	11	..	5	7	12	1	..	11	..	9	3	12	..	..	2	1	..	9	11·3	11·3
Negapatam ..	53,855	..	7	11	..	10	8	18	2	7	14	..	11	12	23	..	5	1	6	..	11	17·3	22·2
Bellary ..	53,460	2	5	15	..	12	10	22	..	4	8	..	7	5	12	..	2	2	..	1	7	21·3	11·6
Salem ..	59,631	3	3	34	..	17	23	40	..	4	18	..	12	10	22	..	1	5	2	1	13	34·8	19·1
Kumbakonam ..	50,098	..	..	36	..	18	18	36	1	1	23	..	15	10	25	..	1	1	2	1	20	37·3	25·9
Cuddalore ..	43,545	..	..	22	..	12	10	22	..	1	12	..	8	5	13	..	..	3	5	..	5	26·2	15·5
Coimbatore ..	38,967	1	..	30	..	20	11	31	..	3	32	..	13	22	35	..	12	3	6	..	14	41·3	46·7
Vellore ..	37,491	2	7	27	..	18	18	36	..	1	14	..	9	6	15	..	1	2	3	..	9	49·9	20·8
Conjeeveram ..	37,275	..	1	31	..	15	17	32	..	..	27	..	14	13	27	..	..	13	3	..	11	44·6	37·6
Palghat ..	36,339	..	5	21	..	13	13	26	..	3	9	..	8	4	12	..	1	1	1	..	9	37·2	17·1
Masulipatam ..	35,056	..	2	7	..	5	4	9	..	..	6	..	5	1	6	..	..	..	..	..	6	13·3	8·9
Mangalore ..	32,099	8	4	9	..	12	9	21	5	1	9	..	6	9	15	..	..	1	2	1	11	34·0	24·2
Vizagapatam ..	30,291	..	1	10	..	5	6	11	..	..	7	..	4	3	7	..	..	2	..	..	5	18·8	12·0
Cocanada ..	30,441	2	1	12	..	6	9	15	..	..	11	..	3	8	11	..	2	..	..	1	8	25·6	18·7
Nellore .	27,505	2	2	8	..	6	6	12	..	2	7	..	3	6	9	..	..	2	..	..	7	22·6	17·0
Tellicherry ..	26,410	..	10	12	..	10	12	22	..	6	5	..	6	5	11	..	1	3	2	..	5	43·3	21·6
Cannanore ..	26,386	15	4	6	..	13	12	25	5	9	7	..	11	10	21	..	..	3	2	..	16	49·2	41·3
Ellore ..	25,092	..	2	10	..	5	7	12	..	1	13	..	8	6	14	..	..	5	1	..	8	24·8	29·0
Ootacamund ..	12,335	4	..	..	3	3	4	7	3	2	2	..	3	4	7	..	..	5	1	..	1	29·5	29·5
Total ..	929,402	47	74	379	3	268	235	503	21	66	299	..	208	178	386	4	30	66	49	7	230	28·1	21·5

Office of Sanitary Commissioner, Madras,
23rd June 1886.

GEO. DIQUE,
Manager and Assistant, Office of Sanitary Commissioner, Madras.

OBSERVATORY TIME NOTICE.

The Fort time signal gun failed at noon on the 17th, 19th, 20th, and 21st instant. It was fired correctly on all other occasions throughout the week ending with Wednesday the 23rd instant.

N. R. POGSON,
Government Astronomer.

JUDICIAL NOTIFICATIONS.

REGISTRATION DEPARTMENT.

Notice is hereby given that non-Brahmins will be employed in the Registration Department when vacancies occur.

Registrar's Office, Madras,
21st June 1886.

S. HARI ROW,
Registrar.

INFORMATION WANTED.

The relations of Ann Clark or Clarke, daughter of Sergeant William Clark, who died in 1854 when his Regiment—the 25th Foot—was stationed in Madras, are anxious to hear of her.

Undersigned will be glad to receive and communicate any information regarding the said Ann Clark.

City Police Office,
Madras, 15th June 1886.

T. WELDON, Colonel,
Commissioner of Police.

FINANCIAL NOTIFICATIONS.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF THE BANK OF MADRAS FOR THE WEEK ENDING 19TH JUNE 1886.

Liabilities.

	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
Capital paid up				50,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund				8,75,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office	16,26,701	7	3			
Public Deposits at Branches	21,08,586	10	11			
				37,35,288	2	2
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches				1,05,25,616	0	0
Bank Post Bills, &c.				5,05,053	2	9
Sundries				7,41,907	8	7
Total ..				2,13,82,864	13	6

Assets.

	RS.	A.	P.
Government Securities	12,97,545	1	0
Other authorized Investments	....		
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities	59,38,242	4	7
Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorized Securities	12,15,841	12	2
Bills discounted and purchased ..	57,84,415	4	1
Balances with other Banks	2,61,064	10	8
Bullion	44,511	4	11
Dead Stock	3,76,945	11	2
Stamps	7,082	11	8
Sundries	46,746	14	10
	1,49,72,395	11	1
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office and Branches	64,10,469	2	5
Total ..	2,13,82,864	13	6

(By order of the Directors.)

J. L. DUFFIELD,
Chief Accountant.

D. A. J. CROMBIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Bank of Madras, Madras, 23rd June 1886.

LOST CURRENCY NOTES.

The following currency notes of the Government of India, Madras Circle, are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other persons having these notes in their possession, or claiming a right to them, are warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Register Number.	Numbers of the Notes.	Value.	Names of Claimants.
	Notes wholly lost or destroyed.		
		RS.	
5	B/93 15387	100	Messrs. T. A. Taylor and Co., Madras.
6	B/86 72846	100	Postmaster-General, Madras.

C. HALL, *Chief Superintendent,*
In charge of Paper Currency Department.

24th June 1886.

EDUCATIONAL NOTIFICATIONS.

GOVERNMENT CENTRAL MUSEUM.

The visitors to the Government Central Museum during the month of May 1886 were as follow, averaging, exclusive of Sundays, 727 daily:—

May 1886.	Signatures made in												Total of Signatures.	Unable to sign, but tally kept.	Total of Visitors.	Number of		Total of Visitors.
	English.	Telugu.	Hindustani.	Tamil.	Mahratta.	Nagaree.	Guzerattee.	Canarese.	Chinese.	Cingalese.	Malayalam.	Bengalee.				Men and Boys.	Women and Girls.	
	2,138	470	198	1,546	12	11	15	51	..	..	14	..	4,455	14,456	18,911	11,639	7,272	18,911

HIGHER EXAMINATION IN SCIENCE, ART, AND INDUSTRIES.

It is hereby notified that by G.O., dated the 20th May 1886, No. 315, Educational, a Syllabus in Horticulture has been substituted for that in Botany referred to in paragraph 2 of G.O., 31st March 1886, No. 198.

The new Syllabus can be had at the Madras School Book and Vernacular Literature Society's Depôt at Nungumbakam.

(By order.)

Office of Commissioner for the U.C.S. Examinations,
Madras, 22nd June 1886.

E. H. ELLIOT,
Secretary.

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING, MADRAS.

ROLL OF CANDIDATES who obtained CERTIFICATES of QUALIFICATION as SUPERVISOR and OVERSEER at the Annual Examination of the College of Engineering, Madras, held in May 1886.

No.	Name.	For what Grade.	Vernaculars with which acquainted.	Remarks.
1	W. L. Emery, Corporal, Royal Scots Fusiliers.	Supervisor, P.W.D.	Tamil	College Students.
2	M. V. Krishnaswami Aiyar	Do. ..	Tamil and Telugu ..	
3	B. Reynolds, Lance Corporal, 12th Royal Lancers.	Do. ..	Tamil	
4	A. V. Krishna Menon	Do. ..	Tamil and Malayalam.	
5	P. King, Lance Corporal, Hampshire Regiment.	Do. ..	Tamil	
6	J. W. Jones, Lance Corporal, Hampshire Regiment.	Overseer, P.W.D. ..	Telugu	
7	E. C. M. Mascarenhas	Supervisor, P.W.D.	Tamil	
8	J. Knox, Gunner, Royal Horse Artillery ..	Do. ..	Telugu	
9	G. Padmanabha Aiyar	Do. ..	Tamil and Telugu ..	
10	A. Narayanaswami Nayudu	Do. ..	Do. ..	
11	M. Gnanaprakasa Pillai	Do. ..	Do. ..	
12	L. A. Barboza	Overseer, P.W.D. ..	Tamil and Malayalam.	
13	K. Sankarasubha Annavi	Do. ..	Tamil and Telugu ..	
14	A. B. Colkers	Do. ..	Tamil	
15	A. Kuppuswami Aiyar	Do. ..	Tamil and Telugu ..	
16	A. V. Parasurama Aiyar	Do. ..	Do. ..	
17	K. Subha Rau	Do. ..	Telugu and Canarese.	
18	S. Panchapakesa Aiyar	Do. ..	Tamil and Telugu ..	
19	G. W. Selvadurai	Do. ..	Do. ..	
20	T. Ramanjulu Chetti	Do. ..	Do. ..	
21	V. Ramakrishnayya	Do. ..	Do. ..	
22	M. S. Krishnaswami Aiyar	Do. ..	Do. ..	
23	T. S. Lakshmana Rau	Do. ..	Tamil	
..	M. T. V. R. Ramanujayya	Do. ..	Tamil and Telugu ..	Independent Candidate.

ROLL of CANDIDATES who obtained CERTIFICATES of QUALIFICATION as SURVEYOR and DRAFTSMAN AND ESTIMATOR at the Annual Examination of the College of Engineering, Madras, held in May 1886.

No.	Name.	Passed as	Place of Examination.	Remarks.
1	Saiyid Raza Husain	Surveyor, First Class, P.W.D.	Madras ..	College Students.
2	J. M. Berlie	Do. do. do.	Do. ..	
3	D. Setu Rau	Do. Second Class, do.	Do. ..	
4	A. Piraisudiya Pillai	Do. do. do.	Do. ..	
5	G. S. Dalgairns	Do. do. do.	Do. ..	
6	B. Venkataramana	Do. do. do.	Do. ..	
7	J. A. Bowie	Do. do. do.	Do. ..	
8	H. Laurence	Do. Third Class, do.	Do. ..	
9	F. Lears	Do. do. do.	Do. ..	
10	A. S. Hudson	Do. do. do.	Do. ..	
11	N. Balasundara Nayakar ..	Do. do. do.	Do. ..	
1	A. Thambu Chetti	Draftsman and Estimator, First Class, P.W.D.	Do. ..	
2	E. A. Sivakrishnaswami Aiyar ..	Do. do. do. do.	Do. ..	
3	M. Angamuttu Mudaliyar ..	Do. do. do. do.	Do. ..	
4	A. V. Ramachandra Aiyar ..	Do. do. do. do.	Do. ..	
5	T. M. Swarnam Pillai ..	Do. do. Second Class, do.	Do. ..	
6	T. Ragunatha Rau	Do. do. do. do.	Do. ..	
7	S. W. Damodara Pillai ..	Do. do. do. do.	Do. ..	
8	V. Natesa Aiyar	Do. do. do. do.	Do. ..	
9	M. Srinivasa Nayakar ..	Do. do. do do.	Do. ..	
10	N. K. Muttuswami Aiyar ..	Do. do. Third Class, do.	Do. ..	
11	C. Duraisawami Nayudu ..	Do. do. do. do.	Do. ..	
12	A. Subrahmanya Aiyar ..	Do. do. do. do.	Do. ..	
13	A. Krishna Rau	Do. do. do. do.	Do. ..	
14	M. G. Krishnamachari ..	Do. do. do. do.	Do. ..	
15	C. Sivasankara Mudaliyar ..	Do. do. do. do.	Do. ..	
16	R. Chenchayya Nayudu ..	Do. do. do. do.	Do. ..	
17	A. Krishnaswami Aiyar ..	Do. do. do. do.	Do. ..	
18	P. Subbu Venkatachalam ..	Do. do. do. do.	Do. ..	

Chepauk, 10th June 1886.

H. D. LOVE, Captain, R.E.,
Principal.

MARINE NOTIFICATIONS.

LIST of SHIPPING in the MADRAS ROADSTEAD, with their DESTINATION, &c., on the 24th June 1886 as reported by Commanders or Agents at this Office.

Ship's Name.	Tonnage.	Commander.	Destination.	When to Sail.	Agents.
S.S. "Clan Munroe" ..	1,437	T. S. Cairns ..	Calcutta ..	Uncertain ..	Gordon, Woodroffe, and Co.
S.S. "Clan Drummond" ..	1,904	T. W. Gourlay ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do.
S.S. "Duke of Devonshire" .	2,024	D. C. Long ..	London *viâ* Colombo.	To-day ..	Arbuthnot and Co.
S.S. "Gladys"	1,022	C. McGregor ..	Pondicherry ..	Despatch ..	Do.
S.S. "India"	2,634	C. M. H. Day ..	London ..	To-day ..	Binny and Co.
S.S. "Agra"	1,235	W. Major ..	Calcutta *viâ* Coast.	Do. ..	Do.
S.S. "Sherard Osborn" ..	..	F. Worsley ..	Penang ..	Do. ..	Eastern Extension Telegraph Co.
Bq. "Ann Millicent" ..	921	N. E. S. Good ..	Liverpool ..	In a day or two ..	Arbuthnot and Co.
Bq. "Gratitude" ..	544	E. Sanders ..	Unknown ..	Uncertain ..	Do.
Bq. "Huntley Castle" ..	623	J. Saul	Do. ..	Do. ..	Wilson and Co.
Bq. "John Davie" ..	1,013	H. Crocker ..	Mauritius ..	30th instant ..	Commander.
American Ship "Empire" ..	1,075	T. L. Snow ..	Unknown ..	Uncertain ..	Best and Co.
Norway Barque "Prince Arthur."	921	C. Hansen ..	London *viâ* Coast.	Do. ..	Gordon, Woodroffe, and Co.
German Barque "Margaretha."	747	H. W. DeBoer ..	Liverpool, Havre, and Coast.	Do. ..	Do.

REPORT of VESSELS arrived at, and departed from, the PORT of MADRAS from the 17th to the 24th June 1886.

Date.	Arrived or Sailed.	Vessel's Name.	Tons.	Nation.	Commander's Name.	Where from.	When left.	Whither bound.
				ARRIVALS.				
1886. June 17th.	Arrived.	S.S. "Cormorant" ..	1,466	B.	J. Lowe ..	Calcutta ..	1886. 13th June.	....
,, ,,	Do.	S.S. "Ethiopia" ..	1,314	,,	A. J. Windbank..	Calcutta *viâ* Northern Ports.	5th ,,	....

REPORT of VESSELS arrived at, and departed from, the PORT of MADRAS from the 17th to the 24th June 1886—(*Continued*).

Date.	Arrived or Sailed.	Vessel's Name.	Tons.	Nation.	Commander's Name.	Where from.	When left.	Whither bound.
				ARRIVALS—(*Continued*).				
1886. June 18th.	Arrived.	Bq. "Helen Scott" ..	..	B.	Crewest ..	Liverpool ..	1886. 7th Mar.	....
" 20th.	Do.	S.S. "Chanda" ..	1,305	"	J. R. Gavin ..	Bombay *viâ* Southern Ports.	19th May.	....
" "	Do.	S.S. "Clan Munroe" ..	1,437	"	T. S. Cairns ..	Mary Port.	16th "	....
" "	Do.	P. & O. Str. "Bengal"	2,524	"	W. B. Andrews ..	London ..	19th "	....
" "	Do.	S.S. "Tibre" ..	1,135	F.	J. B. Trocine ..	Calcutta ..	17th June.	....
" "	Do.	S.S. "Avocet" ..	1,792	B.	H. P. P. Couche ..	London ..	4th May.	....
" 21st.	Do.	Bq. "Margaretha" ..	747	Ger.	H. W. DeBoer ..	Narrakal ..	15th June.	....
" "	Do.	S.S. "Gladys" ..	1,022	B.	C. McGregor ..	Cardiff ..	15th May.	....
" 22nd.	Do.	S.S. "Clan Ogilvie" .	1,584	"	G. Nelson ..	Calcutta ..	15th June.	....
" "	Do.	S.S. "Duke of Devonshire."	2,024	"	D. C. Long ..	Do. ..	17th "	....
" "	Do.	S.S. "Sirdhana" ..	1,973	"	J. B. Mackay ..	Do. ..	17th "	....
" 23rd.	Do.	S.S. "Goa" ..	1,232	"	J. W. Lewins ..	Do. ..	12th "	....
" "	Do.	S.S. "India" ..	2,633	"	C. M. H. Day ..	Do. ..	19th "	....
" 24th.	Do.	S.S. "Sherard Osborn"	..	"	F. Worsley ..	Singapore.	15th "	....
" "	Do.	S.S. "Clan Drummond"	1,904	"	T. W. Gourlay ..	Colombo ..	22nd "	....
" "	Do.	S.S. "Agra" ..	1,235	"	W. Major ..	Bombay *viâ* Coast Ports.	10th "	....
				DEPARTURES.				
1886. June 17th.	Sailed.	S.S. "Argo" ..	793	Aus.	J. Costanzo ..	..	..	Continental Ports *viâ* Colombo.
" 18th.	Do.	S.S. "Ethiopia" ..	1,314	B.	A. J. Windbank ..	..	..	Bombay *viâ* Southern Ports.
" "	Do.	S.S. "Cormorant" ..	1,466	"	J. Lowe ..	..	..	London.
" 19th.	Do.	Bq. "Helen Scott" ..	..	"	Crewest ..	..	..	Calcutta.
" "	Do.	Bq. "Khimjee Oodowjee."	..	"	Rowe ..	..	..	Unknown.
" 20th.	Do.	S.S. "Tibre" ..	1,135	F.	J. B. Trocine ..	..	..	Pondicherry and Colombo.
" 21st.	Do.	S.S. "Chanda" ..	1,305	B.	J. R. Gavin ..	..	..	Calcutta *viâ* Northern Ports.
" "	Do.	P. & O. Str. "Bengal."	2,524	"	W. B. Andrews ..	..	..	Calcutta.
" 22nd.	Do.	Bq. "Lindores Abbey."	863	"	W. P. Kinsella ..	..	..	London *viâ* Cocanada and Coast.
" 23rd.	Do.	S.S. "Avocet" ..	1,792	"	H. P. P. Couche.	..	..	Calcutta.
" "	Do.	S.S. "Clan Ogilvie" ..	1,584	"	G. Nelson ..	..	..	London.
" "	Do.	S.S. "Sirdhana" ..	1,973	"	J. B. Mackay ..	..	..	Bombay *viâ* Southern Ports.
" "	Do.	S.S. "Goa" ..	1,232	"	J. W. Lewins ..	..	..	Do.

Master Attendant's Office, Executive Department,
Madras, 24th June 1886.

T. E. MARSHALL,
Deputy Master Attendant.

The following are republished for the information of Mariners.

Madras, Marine Office,
21st June 1886.

J. H. TAYLOR,
Master Attendant, Administrative Department.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

[No. 119.]

GULF OF ADEN—SOUTH COAST.

(1) BERBEREH—INTENDED ALTERATION IN LIGHT DELAYED.

With reference to Notice to Mariners, No. 88 (1), of 16th April 1886, on it being no longer intended to maintain the lighthouse at Berbereh, but that a well-found ordinary light, elevated 20 feet above the sea, would be exhibited in lieu of the present light:—

Information has been received from Commander Rainier, H.M.S. *Kingfisher*, that the intended alteration in the light will probably not be made for some months, and possibly not till after the south-west monsoon, or about the month of October 1886.

GULF OF ADEN—WEST COAST.

(2) INTENDED RED LIGHT AT OBOKH.

The French Government has given Notice, dated 30th April 1886, that pyramid A, which served to indicate the entrance to South port, Obokh, has been removed; and that in its place a lighthouse has been erected:—

The light will be a *red* light, elevated 174 feet above high water. The illuminating apparatus will be dioptric, or by lenses.

The lighthouse, 34 feet high, is constructed of iron on a base of masonry.
Approximate position, lat. 11° 58¼′ N., long. 43° 15′ E.

NOTE.—The two small buoys at the entrance of South port, Obokh, have been replaced by buoys with a vane of larger size; they are now moored farther seaward than formerly.

(By Command of their Lordships.)

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London, 19th May 1886. W. J. L. WHARTON, *Hydrographer.*

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Gulf of Aden, Nos. 6*b*, 253*b*, with plan of Berbereh; anchorages in the gulf of Aden, No. 919: Also, Admiralty List of Lights in South Africa, &c., 1886, No. 46, page 12; Gulf of Aden Pilot, 1882, pages 58, 73; and Hydrographic Notice, No. 5 of 1886, pages 4, 8.

[No. 120.]

BALTIC.

(1) KOPPAR STENARNE LIGHT-VESSEL—ALTERATION IN POSITION.

The Swedish Government has given Notice, that on 23rd April 1886, Koppar Stenarne light-vessel was replaced in her station northward of Gottska Sandö; and that she now lies half a mile W.S.W. of her former position.
Position, lat. 58° 34¾′ N., long. 19° 8½′ E.

GULF OF BOTHNIA.

(2) SVENSKA BJÖRN LIGHT-VESSEL—FOG SIGNAL.

Also, that on 27th April 1886, Svenska Björn light-vessel was replaced in her station; and that a steam Siren has been established on board, which, during thick or foggy weather, will be sounded *every half minute.*

(3) UNDERSTEN LIGHT-VESSEL—FOG SIREN DAMAGED.

Also, dated 28th April 1886, that the fog Siren on board Understen light-vessel has been damaged, and cannot be used. It will be put in working order with the least possible delay.

(*The bearing is Magnetic. Variation* 8° *Westerly in* 1886.)

(By Command of their Lordships.)

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London, 20th May 1886. W. J. L. WHARTON, *Hydrographer.*

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts (3 temporarily):—Landsort to gulf of Bothnia, No. 2362 (1); Gottland, No. 2250 (1); Baltic sea, No. 2842*b* (2); Hango head to South Quarken, No. 2297 (2, 3): Also, Admiralty List of Lights in the North Sea, &c., 1886, No. 542*a*, 531, 525; Sailing Directions for Baltic Sea and Gulf of Finland, 1854, pages 55, 75; and Bothnia Pilot, 1855, page 3.

[No. 121.]

PORTUGAL—WEST COAST.

CAPE ESPICHEL—RE-EXHIBITION OF PERMANENT LIGHT, DISCONTINUANCE OF PROVISIONAL LIGHT, AND ESTABLISHMENT OF FOG SIGNAL.

With reference to Notice to Mariners, No. 9, of 12th January 1886, on the exhibition of a provisional light at cape Espichel, pending the placing a new illuminating apparatus in the lighthouse; also to the intended establishment of a fog signal on the cape:—

The Portuguese Government has given Notice, that on 30th May 1886, the permanent light will be re-exhibited, and the provisional light discontinued:—

The light will be a *group-flashing* white light of the first order, showing groups of *four flashes* at short intervals, each group being separated from the next group by a longer interval than that between the flashes. It is elevated 535 feet above high water, and should be visible in clear weather from a distance of 28 miles.

The lighthouse, 106 feet high, is hexagonal in shape and constructed of undressed stone, with two blocks of buildings attached; the cupola of the lantern is provisionally painted green. The lighthouse is situated about 650 yards from the village of Nossa Senhora do Cabo.

Position, lat. 38° 24′ 50″ N., long. 9° 12′ 55″ W.

Also, that on the same date, a fog signal will be established in an iron structure on Cape Espichel, attached to the Semaphore station, which is distant about 330 yards from the lighthouse:—

The apparatus will be a bell automatically worked by clock-work, which, during thick and foggy weather, will give a signal consisting of groups of *four* consecutive strokes, separated by a long silence.

(By Command of their Lordships.)

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London, 21st May 1886. W. J. L. WHARTON, *Hydrographer.*

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—North Atlantic ocean, eastern part, No. 2060*a*: British islands to Mediterranean sea, No. 1; Gibraltar strait to Gambia river, No. 1226; cape Finisterre to cape St. Vincent, No. 87: Also, Admiralty List of Lights on the Western shores of Europe, 1886, No. 454; and Sailing Directions for West coasts of France, Spain, and Portugal, 1885, page 285.

[No. 122.]

BALTIC—GULF OF FINLAND ENTRANCE.

MOON SOUND.

(1) FLASHING LIGHT ON SHILJDAU ISLAND.

The Russian Government has given Notice, that a light is now exhibited from a lighthouse on the south-west point of Shiljdau island, Möön sound:—

The light is a *flashing white* and *red* light, showing a *white* flash of *two seconds* duration, and a *red* flash for *one second*, visible from the bearing S. 50° E. to the northern shore of Möön island; and from the eastern shore of Möön island to the northern end of Werder island. It is elevated 11 feet above the sea, and should be seen in clear weather from a distance of 4 miles.

The lighthouse, about 5 feet high, is painted red.

Position, lat. 58° 38′ N., long. 23° 26′ E.

NOTE.—The line joining this light and Paternoster light indicates the limits of the 10-feet channel near Shiljdau bank; the line between it and Rauga buoy marks the channel between Möön island and Kumorsky reef. The northern limit of the visibility leads south-westward of Kumorsky reef.

(2) MOON ISLAND—LEADING LIGHTS ON NORTH-EAST COAST.

Also, that two leading lights are now exhibited from wooden beacons, painted gray, erected on the north-east coast of Möön island:—

The lights are *fixed* white lights, placed 484 yards apart, and which kept in line bearing S. 13½° E. lead through the navigable channel between Kumorskia and Unter-neman banks.

The low (northern) light is visible from the northward between the bearings of S. 4° E. and S. 23° E. It is elevated 56 feet above the sea, and should be seen in clear weather from a distance of 13 miles.

The beacon is 46 feet high. Position, lat. 58° 39′ 15″ N., long. 23° 18′ 30″ E.

The high light is visible from the northward between the eastern shore of Dagö island and Kuivaraga reef. It is elevated 95 feet above the sea, and should be seen in clear weather from a distance of about 15 miles; at about that distance from the high light, Wormsö and Grasor island lights become visible.

The beacon is 65 feet high.

(3) LIGHT-BUOY NORTHWARD OF RAUGA BANK.

Also, that a light is now exhibited from a beacon buoy moored northward of the 15-feet bank, which is situated about 3 cables northward of Rauga (Raugen) bank, western side of the channel north-east of Rauga, north-east coast of Möön island:—

The light is a *fixed* white light, elevated 10 feet above the sea, and should be visible in clear weather from a distance of about 3 miles.

The buoy, surmounted by a bell, is painted white and red in horizontal stripes.

Position, lat. 58° 40′ 20″ N., long. 23° 19′ 00″ E.

(4) LIGHT-BUOY ON STENSKAR REEF.

Also, that a light is now exhibited from a beacon buoy moored on the south side of Stenskär reef, on the eastern side of the channel between Möön and Wormsö sounds:—

The light is a *fixed* white light, elevated 12 feet above the sea, and should be visible in clear weather from a distance of 4 miles.

The buoy, surmounted by a bell, is painted black and white in horizontal stripes.

Position, lat. 58° 57′ 50″ N., long. 23° 8′ 00″ E.

(5) FLASHING LIGHT ON GRASOR ISLAND.

Also, that a light is now exhibited from a lighthouse on the south end of Grasor (Harry) island, western side of the channel between Möön and Wormsö sounds:—

The light is a *flashing white* and *red* light, showing a *white* flash of *two seconds* duration, and a *red* light for *one second*, visible from the bearing N. 18° W. to the south shore of Wormsö island, and from S. 13° E. to the west shore of Wormsö island. It is elevated 14 feet above the sea, and should be seen in clear weather from a distance of about 4 miles.

The lighthouse, about 5 feet high, is painted white.

Position, lat. 58° 58′ 10″ N., long. 23° 6′ 20″ E.

This light indicates the channel into Möön sound from the northward; and from the southward its western limit leads eastward of Erik rocks.

(*The bearings are Magnetic, and are given from seaward. Variation* 5° *Westerly in* 1886.)

(By Command of their Lordships.)

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
22nd May 1886.

W. J. L. WHARTON,
Hydrographer.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Baltic sea, No. 2842*b*; gulf of Finland, No. 2191; gulf of Riga, No. 2373; entrance to the gulf of Finland, No. 2241: Also, Admiralty List of Lights in the North Sea, &c., 1886, page 84; and Sailing Directions for the Baltic Sea and Gulf of Finland, 1854, page 119.

[No. 123.]

ENGLAND—EAST COAST.

FLAMBOROUGH HEAD TO COQUET ISLAND—ADOPTION OF THE UNIFORM SYSTEM OF BUOYAGE.

The Trinity House, London, has given Notice, dated 12th May 1886, that during the month of August 1886, it is intended to re-arrange the buoyage from Flamborough head to Coquet island, in conformity with the Uniform System of Buoyage, viz.:—

CONICAL BUOYS on Starboard hand entering port, or with the main stream of flood tide.
CAN BUOYS on Port hand entering port, or with the main stream of flood tide.
SPHERICAL BUOYS at the ends of Middle grounds.
The colours and other distinctions proper to the position of each buoy will remain unchanged.
No further Notice concerning these alterations will be given.

(By Command of their Lordships.)

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
22nd May 1886.

W. J. L. WHARTON,
Hydrographer.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—North sea, No. 2182*a*; Trusthorpe to Flamborough head, No. 1190; Flamborough head to the Tees, No. 1191; Hartlepool to St. Abbs head, No. 1192; Tees bay, No. 2567; Sunderland port, No. 1627; entrance to the river Tyne, No. 1934; Coquet road and channel, No. 1721: Also, North Sea Pilot, part III, 1882, pages 34–87.

[No. 124.]

SCOTLAND—WEST COAST, AND ORKNEY ISLANDS.

ISLAY TO THE MINCH, AND PENTLAND FIRTH—ALTERATION IN CHARACTER AND COLOUR OF CERTAIN BUOYS, AND IN COLOUR OF CERTAIN BEACONS.

The Commissioners of Northern Lighthouses have given Notice, that during the summer of 1886, it is intended, circumstances permitting, to make the following alteration in the character and colour of the undermentioned fifteen buoys between Islay and the Minch. These alterations are in accordance with the principles of the Uniform System of Buoyage.

The fifteen buoys referred to, are:—

1. Black rock buoy	Sound of Islay ..	Will be a *conical* buoy, painted red.
2. Ardluing point buoy ..	Sound of Scarba ..	Will be a *conical* buoy, painted red.
3. Corran bank, north-west buoy ..	Loch Aber	Will be a *conical* buoy, painted red.
4. Fuinary rocks buoy	Sound of Mull ..	Will be a *conical* buoy, painted red.
5. Bo rock buoy	Sound of Mull ..	Will be a *conical* buoy, painted red.
6. Sgeir-na-Fennag buoy ..	Sound of Mull ..	Will be a *conical* buoy, painted red.
7. New rocks buoy	Sound of Mull ..	Will be a *conical* buoy, painted red.
8. Bogha-choilta buoy	Sound of Iona ..	Will be a *conical* buoy, painted red.
9. Bo-na-Sliginach buoy ..	Sound of Iona ..	Will be a *conical* buoy, painted red.
10. Bono rock (Bogha Nuadh) buoy.	Easdale sound ..	Will be a *can* buoy, painted black.
11. Avon rock buoy	Sound of Mull ..	Will be a *can* buoy, painted black.
12. String rock buoy	Raasay sound, and Loch Alsh.	Will be a *can* buoy, painted black.
13. Bow rock buoy	Raasay sound, and Loch Alsh.	Will be a *can* buoy, painted black.
14. Bo Askadil buoy	Sound of Eigg ..	Will be a *conical* buoy, painted red.
15. Skeir inoe buoy	North Minch	Will be a *conical* buoy, painted red.

Also, that the following beacons which are at present red, will be coloured black:—

1. Sgeir Vichalea beacon	Vatersay bay.
2. Sgeir na Cailleach beacon	South entrance to Loch Alsh.
3. Ruff reef beacon near Cantick head ..	Orkney islands.

As the date of these alterations taking place is doubtful, Mariners must keep a look-out for them, as now intimated.

(By Command of their Lordships.)

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
24th May 1886.

W. J. L. WHARTON,
Hydrographer.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Scotland, west coast, No. 2635; Mull of Cantyre to Ardnamurchan, No. 2515; sound of Islay, No. 2481; loch Crinan to Cuan sound, No. 2326; lochs Linne, Aber, &c., No. 1426; sound of Mull, No. 2155; Ardnamurchan to Summer islands, No. 2475; sound of Iona, No. 2617; firth of Lorne, No. 2476; isle of Skye, &c., No. 2551; lochs Alsh and Duich, No. 2676; Kyle Akin, No. 1846; Ardnamurchan point to loch Bhreatal, No. 2507; Barra head to Scarpa island, No. 2474; Orkney islands, No. 2180; Pentland firth, No. 2162: Also, Sailing Directions for west coast of Scotland, part I, 1885, and part II, 1877; North Sea Pilot, part I, 1876, page 180; and North Sea Pilot, part II, 1885, page 35.

[No. 125.]

ENGLAND—SOUTH-EAST COAST.

ROYAL SOVEREIGN SHOALS TO NORTH FORELAND—ADOPTION OF THE UNIFORM SYSTEM OF BUOYAGE.

With reference to Notice to Mariners, No. 39 (1), of 13th February 1886, on intended re-arrangement of the buoyage in the channels from Royal Sovereign shoals to the North Foreland, in conformity with the Uniform System of Buoyage :—

Further information has been received from the Trinity House, London, dated 14th May 1886, that with that object, the shape of the undermentioned buoys have been recently changed, and are now as follows :—

ROYAL SOVEREIGN BUOY is a *can* buoy.
NEWCOME BUOY is a *can* buoy.

THE DOWNS.

SOUTH-WEST GOODWIN BUOY is a *conical* buoy.
SOUTH GOODWIN BUOY is a *can* buoy.
SOUTH-EAST GOODWIN BUOY is a *can* buoy.
EAST GOODWIN BUOY is a *can* buoy.
N.W. BUNT BUOY is a *conical* buoy.
NORTH BAR BUOY is a *spherical* buoy.
GULL SAND BUOY is a *can* buoy.
ELBOW BUOY is a *can* buoy.
NORTH FAIRWAY BUOY is a *can* buoy.
DIKE BUOY is a *conical* buoy.
LONGNOSE LEDGE BUOY is a *can* buoy.

(By Command of their Lordships.)

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
24th May 1886.

W. J. L. WHARTON,
Hydrographer.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—North sea, No. 2182*a*; English Channel, Nos. 1598, 2675*c*; Dover and Calais to Orfordness, No. 1406; North Foreland to Orfordness, No. 1610; North Foreland to the Nore, No. 1607; Owers to Dungeness, No 2451; Dungeness to the Thames, No. 1895; The Downs, No. 1828: Also, Channel Pilot, part I, 1882, pages 239–267; and North Sea Pilot, part III, 1882, page 246.

REVENUE NOTIFICATIONS.

INCOME TAX.

It is hereby notified for general information that all monies payable to the Income Tax Collector, Mount Road, on account of Income Tax, shall be paid before 3 P.M. No sums shall be received after that hour.

Madras, Income Tax Collector's Office,
Mount Road, 23rd June 1886.

R. RAGOONATH ROW,
Collector.

STORAGE OF TIMBER ON HARBOUR WORKS PROPERTIES.

The following rules have been passed by the Deputy Collector of Madras for the storage of timber in Harbour Works properties from and after the 1st July 1886 :—

1. From the 1st July 1886 land in Harbour properties will be let only in grounds and not in fractional parts of a ground.
2. Broken periods under a month will not be allowed.
3. Periodically, if necessary monthly, the rents of these lands will be sold by public auction with an upset sum of 3 rupees a ground a month.
4. Timber merchants are warned that they must confine the storage of timber to the grounds of land rented by them. Should they encroach upon unrented neighbouring land, additional rent at the rate of 10 rupees a month per ground will be charged.

Madras Deputy Collector's Office,
22nd June 1886.

R. RAGOONATH ROW,
Deputy Collector of Madras.

CASES OF CONFISCATION.

Under the power delegated to him by paragraph IX of Government Notification No. 76, dated 17th March 1886, published in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of the same date, the Commissioner of Salt and Abkári Revenue hereby authorizes all Officers of the Department of Salt and Abkári Revenue of the grades specified below to inquire into and determine cases of confiscation falling under clause 3, section 66 of the Madras Abkári Act, 1886, and to order confiscation subject to the limitation imposed in each case and to appeal to their respective immediate superiors within two months.

Officers in charge of Circles—in cases in which the value of the articles liable to confiscation does not exceed Rupees 50.

Assistant Commissioners—in cases in which such value does not exceed Rupees 200.

Deputy Commissioners—without limit as to value.

Salt and Abkári Commissioner's Office,
Madras, 16th June 1886.

C. A. GALTON,
Ag. Commissioner of Salt and Abkári Revenue.

PUBLIC WORKS NOTIFICATION.

UNCLAIMED SUM.

Notice is hereby given that the sum of Rs. 35-6-3 due to K. A. Sahasranama Iyer, late Clerk in the Vayitri Subdivision, on account of his salary for February and March 1886, is held in deposit in this office, and that, if the amount is not claimed within three months from this date, it will be credited to Government.

H. S. TAYLOR,
Executive Engineer, West Coast Division.

Calicut, 8th June 1886.

POST OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS.

FOREIGN MAILS.

Homeward Overland Mail closes at the General Post Office every Sunday at 4 P.M. Registered articles must be tendered at the window from 2 to 3 P.M. An "after-packet" will be made up at 4-45 P.M., and "late" letters will be received at the window up to 5-5 P.M.

The latest safe date for posting letters for Straits and China and the Australian Colonies *viâ* Bombay will be the 7th July 1886 at 4 P.M.; and for the Australian Colonies *viâ* Tuticorin and Colombo the 6th July 1886 at 6 A.M.; for the Straits and China by French steamer from Madras on 17th July 1886; for Mauritius and Réunion *viâ* Bombay on 27th June 1886 at 4 P.M.; for Cape Colonies, Zanzibar, Mozambique, and Delagoa Bay *viâ* Bombay every Sunday at 4 P.M.

Mails for Ceylon are despatched as under :—

Articles posted on Sundays, Mondays, and Tuesdays are forwarded to Tuticorin and thence to Colombo by B.I.S.N. Company's contract steamer every Thursday.

Articles posted on Wednesdays, Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays are forwarded to Point Calimere, thence by catamaran to Kankesanturai, and thence by road and railway onwards.

By P. and O. steamers .. .. .. 28th June *viâ* Madras and 7th July *viâ* Bombay.

By French steamers .. .. .. 17th July *viâ* Madras.

General Post Office, Madras,
24th June 1886.

S. SULLEN,
Presidency Postmaster.

DETENTION OF PACKET.

The undermentioned packet is in detention in this office. As it contains articles of saleable value, it cannot be forwarded to destination :—

To Godfrey Wheeler, Esq.,
South Carolina,
United States.

Madras, Dead Letter Office,
23rd June 1886.

S. CHRISTIAN,
Manager.

TELEGRAPH NOTIFICATION.

LIST of UNDELIVERED MESSAGES for the months of April, May, and June 1886.

Station from.	No.	Date.	Address in full as received.	Not found; address insufficient.	Not found at address given.	Address changed in transmission.	Left station; new address not known.	Left India.	Left for original station.	Refused.	Other reasons.	Remarks.
MADRAS CENTRAL OFFICE.												
Calcutta ..	230	1886. 1st Apl.	H. Gutmann, Lippert's Hotel.	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	
Cocanada ..	380	" "	Gill	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	Returned by Post Office.
Collectorgung, Cawnpore.	1126	3rd "	Salim Buslor Chetty, Armenian Street.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	Do.
Stelens ..	776	" "	Rakes Benneys ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	Returned by Binny and Co.

LIST of UNDELIVERED MESSAGES, &c.—(*Continued*).

MADRAS CENTRAL OFFICE—(*Continued*).

Station from.	No.	Date.	Address in full as received.	Not found; address insufficient.	Not found at address given.	Address changed in transmission.	Left station; new address not known.	Left India.	Left for original station.	Refused.	Other reasons.	Remarks.
Rangoon ..	914	1886. 3rd Apl.	C. Parthasarathy Naiker, No. 30, Kalastree Street.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	Returned by Post Office.
Mercara ..	2717	8th ,,	Mayman Hazi Kassim Sate Mohomed Sait.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	Do.
Cantonment, Rangoon.	3711	12th ,,	Lieut. Gay, R.A., Fort St. George.	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	
Poona ..	1329	4th ,,	Khadur Bhoy Jafferjee, Sowcarpet.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	Do.
Rangoon ..	6138	20th ,,	Major Heaton, South Wales Borderers.	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	
Calcutta ..	6794	22nd ,,	Khoda Bux, S.S. *Rewa*.	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	
Rangoon ..	7106	23rd ,,	H. Elcock, Esq., H. M.I.M.S. *Canning*.	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	
Colombo ..	7202	23rd ,,	Gilruth	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Coonoor ..	6322	20th ,,	H. Wroughton, Esq., care of Station Master, Central Station.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	Returned by the Station Master.
Saharunpore ..	4872	16th ,,	R. P. Atkinson, Esq., Executive Engineer.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	Returned by Post Office.
Vizagapatam ..	8249	28th ,,	Gangulu China Veerannah Garu.	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Bangalore ..	8618	29th ,,	Gilruth	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
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Cocanada ..	470	2nd May.	M. G. Ramanujayah Gar.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	Do.
London ..	3089	11th ,,	Dymes	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	Returned by Dymes and Co.
Nowgong, Assam.	2891	10th ,,	Mariasundrum, Butler, Vepery, Madras.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	Returned by Post Office.
Palakole, through Rajahmundry.	3375	11th ,,	Moorrila Subbaroyudu.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	Do.
Colombo ..	6318	20th ,,	Dawson, Native Infantry.	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Rangoon ..	3407	10th ,,	Colonel Whitlock, 5th M. I., care of P. and O. Agent.	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	
Quilon ..	5085	17th ,,	Aboobakur Issack Sait, care of Appasamy Chetty, residing Venakat Street, near Cundasawmy Covil.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	Do.
Bimlipatam ..	6665	22nd ,,	H. G. Burton, Lippert's Hotel.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	Do.
Rangoon ..	8103	27th ,,	Mr. C. Carrol, 47, Main Road.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	Do.
Do. ..	1297	4th June	Pachary Neelamaigum Pillay.	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Galle ..	1178	,, ,,	Sena Merasaibo ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Vizagapatam ..	1533	5th ,,	Vadrevu Ramamurti.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	Do.
Etawa ..	1472	,, ,,	Mean Abdulkader Sahib, No. 31 Godown, Meerauddin.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	Do.
Nagpore, G.I.P.	2951	10th ,,	Poonasawmy, Rayapuram.	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Do.
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Ootacamund ..	2293	,, ,,	Thoomala V. Rungiah Naidu.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	Do.
Toungoo ..	3579	12th ,,	Missa Simon, care of Rev. John.	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Ahmedabad, B.B.	3823	14th ,,	Mahomed Abdul, at Thaker Dharsees Jangullee.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	

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Bangalore ..	..	1886. 15th Apl.	Mrs. Jane Wood, Nurse, Vepery Hospital.	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	
Do. ..	..	18th ,,	Basava Gonda, residing in Valajee Muttah, Madras.	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	
			MADRAS NUNGAMBAKUM OFFICE.									
Madura ..	..	5th May.	J. O'Shaughnessy, Esq.	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	
Hyderabad Dn.	..	24th ,,	Toorab Md Ni Ta Bagum, care of Nawab Thaver Junj Bahadur.	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	
			MADRAS TRIPLICANE OFFICE.									
Giridih ..	..	6th May.	The Executive Engineer, Aqueduct, D.V., Nadrai, Madras.	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	
			SAIDAPET OFFICE.									
Mysore ..	..	27th May.	S. Krishna Rao, Esq., residing in late Rungacharlu's house.	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	

Government Telegraph Office, Madras,
21st June 1886.

E. DOWSON,
Superintendent, Government Telegraphs,
Madras Signal Office.

OFFICIAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

DEMOLITION OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS.

FRESH tenders are invited for the demolition of the undermentioned two unoccupied public buildings at Tripassur since it has been decided by Government that Mr. Cox is to be allowed to continue to reside in his present quarters:—

1. Quarters known as Leary's house.
2. Do. as Writer's house.

Tenders should state the sum for which buildings will be demolished, materials removed, and site levelled.

Time within which work will be completed should also be stated.

Tenders will be received up to 30th June 1886.

Further particulars may be obtained on application to this office.

Terms—Ready Cash.

Chingleput Divisional Office, St. Thomas' Mount,
10th June 1886.

L. LANGLEY, Captain, R.E.,
Executive Engineer, Chingleput Division.

TENDERS FOR THE PURCHASE OF PUBLIC WORKS STORES.

TENDERS are invited for the purchase of certain surplus Public Works stores, tools, plant and machinery now enumerated and described in a list which may be seen at the office of the General Superintendent, Public Works Stores, North Black Town, between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M.

A printed copy of the list will be shortly available for issue to parties applying for the same. The stores, &c., for sale will be shown to any person desirous of seeing the same on the 28th, 29th, and 30th June; after the last mentioned date, no tender will be received.

Each tender to be written in English and accompanied by Rupees 100 as earnest money, which will be returned in the event of non-acceptance of the tender, or forfeited to Government in the event of the tenderer not fulfilling his tender and completing a contract bond.

Tenders may be for the whole of the items or for any one item or for any part of any one item enumerated in the printed list, and should clearly specify in words and figures the rate offered for each article in each item, and whether the whole of the articles in each item named is tendered for. As regards the raw materials, the rate per lb. and total quantity tendered for should be clearly stated.

The General Superintendent does not bind himself to accept the highest or any tender.

The tender to be enclosed in a cover addressed to the General Superintendent, Public Works Stores, and superscribed "Tender for Purchase of Surplus Public Works Stores."

For further particulars apply to the undersigned at his office, Seven Wells, North Black Town.

N.B.—The articles to be sold consist of mathematical instruments, axes, chisels, blasting tools, brass water-cocks, copying presses, files, saws, hammers, mamooties, pickaxes, carpenter's tools, planes, sheet iron, carpenter's iron mongery, locks, bar iron, angle iron, steel shear flat, cast flat and blister flat, also octagon, round and square, four wind mills, one large force pump, three steam engines, 4, 6, and 10 horse power respectively.

Public Works Store Department,
Madras, 10th June 1886.

HUGH O'CONNELL,
General Superintendent, Public Works Stores.

REPAIRS TO TANKS, &c.

1. *Kundedutha Manikum Tank No.* 5.

	RS.
Repairs to Surplus Weir No. 1	2,690
Do. to Sluice No. 1	500
Do. to Irrigation Sluice No. 2	805
Do. to do. ,, 3	830
Do. to do. ,, 4	510
Do. to do. ,, 5	465
Do. to Bund	5,186
Total	10,986

2. *Dali Anicut Channel.*

Repairs to Anicut	760
Do. to Regulating Dam	408
Extending Scouring Sluice	1,628
Repairs to Head Sluice	1,860
Do. to Surplus Weir	280
Do. to the Channel	2,380
Total	7,316

3. *Dali Branch Channel No.* 3.

Repairs to Channel	3,620
Constructing Regulator at Head	530
Do. Irrigation Sluice	125
Do. Regulator at Head of No. 9 Tank	360
Do. do. and Surplus Weir at Head of Alankulam Branch Channel	1,080
Do. do. and Surplus Weir at Head of Settikulam Tank	355
Total	6,070

4. *Senkulum Tank No.* 7.

Extending Surplus Weir No. 2	662
Repairs to Sluices	45
Do. to Bund	1,695
Total	2,402

5. *Karasankulum Tank No.* 11.

Constructing Regulator	486
Repairs to Calingulah and Apron	150
Do. to Bund	1,184
Total	1,820

6. *Thinaikulum Tank No.* 9.

Constructing Sluice No. 2	928
Repairing Surplus Weir	105
Do. Bund	320
Total	1,353

7. *Thullanattukulum Tank No.* 10.

	RS.
Constructing Regulator at Head of Supply Channel	735
Repairing Bye-wash	112
Do. Supply Channel and Bund	218
Total ..	1,065

8. *Settikulum Tank No.* 8.

Repairing Surplus Weir No. 1	102
Do. do. ,, 2	92
Do. Bund	509
Total ..	703

9. *Pudukulum Pond.*

Repairing Bund and Escape	260

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the Executive Engineer, Coimbatore, up to 28th June 1886 for any or all of the above works. These works are situated in close vicinity to each other in the Udamalpet Taluk, Coimbatore District. All the works should be completed by the 28th February 1887.

2. The following contract documents can be seen in the Executive Engineer's Office at Coimbatore on any date up to 28th June 1886 :—

(1) A complete set of drawings showing the general dimensions of the proposed work and so far as necessary details of the various parts.
(2) A complete specification of the work to be done and of the materials to be used.
(3) Schedule of quantities of the various description of work.
(4) A set of conditions of contract to be complied with by the person whose tender may be accepted.

3. The tenders should be accompanied by a statement in the form of the undermentioned Abstract Estimate showing the rates at which different works specified below will be executed :—

Description of Work.	Unit of Work to be tendered.
1. Old rough stone in chunam	100 C. feet.
2. New do. do.	100 do.
3. Pointing	100 S. feet.
4. Cutstone in chunam	Cubic foot.
5. New rough stone dry packing	100 C. feet.
6. Rubble stone in chunam	100 do.
7. Slab stone work	Cubic foot.
8. Concrete	100 C. feet.
9. Wood work (teak wrought and put up)	Cubic foot.
10. Earthwork (cutting)	1,000 C. feet.
11. Do. (embanking)	1,000 do.
12. Brick in chunam	100 C feet.
13. Plastering	100 S. feet.
14. Archwork	100 C. feet.
15. Sluice plug with lifting gear, &c., complete	Each.
16. Sluice shutter with lifting rod, &c., do.	Do.
17. Repacking revetment with one-third new stone	100 C. feet.

4. Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit in cash or Government promissory notes as under and be superscribed with the name of the work tendered for, in default of which tenders will be rejected, viz. :

	RS.
Work No. 1	500
Do. ,, 2	350
Do. ,, 3	300
Do. ,, 4	100
Do. ,, 5	100
Do. ,, 6	75
Do. ,, 7	75
Do. ,, 8	50
Do. ,, 9	50

5. All tenders will be opened at the Divisional Office at 12 noon on the date above mentioned in the presence of those who may choose to attend.

6. The Executive Engineer reserves to himself the right of rejecting any or all of the tenders without assigning any reason for so doing.

7. To allow of a guarantee fund being formed on the part of Government, a deduction of 10 per cent. from all payments to the contractor will be made by the Executive Engineer at the time of payment.

8. The deposit of the successful competitor will be retained until he executes the contract and such time as the above deduction of 10 per cent. amounts to the sum deposited.

9. The successful competitor will be required to sign a contract bond on a stamped paper at his own expense on the basis of his tender containing penalties for breach of contract on his part.

Coimbatore, 21st May 1886.

BARUR PROJECT WORKS.

		RS.
1.	East half of the anicut works	5,724
2.	Barur head sluice	2,600
	Total ..	8,324

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the Executive Engineer, Coimbatore, up to 2nd August 1886 for any or all of the above works. These works are situated in close vicinity to each other. The head sluice should be completed by the 31st October 1886. The anicut by the 28th February 1887.

2. The following contract documents can be seen in the Executive Engineer's Office at Coimbatore and the Sub-division Office at Barur on any date up to 2nd August 1886 :—

(1) A complete set of drawings showing the general dimensions of the proposed work, and, so far as necessary, details of the various parts.
(2) A complete specification of the work to be done and of the materials to be used.
(3) Schedule of quantities of the various description of work.
(4) A set of conditions of contract to be complied with by the person whose tender may be accepted.

3. The tenders should be accompanied by a statement in the form of the undermentioned Abstract Estimate showing the rates at which different works specified below will be executed :—

Barur Anicut.

	Description of Work.	Unit of Work to be tendered.
1.	Surki concrete with stone jelly	100 C. feet.
2.	Rough stone in surki mortar	100 do.
3.	Coursed rubble in surki cement	100 do.
4.	Pointing with surki cement	100 S. feet.
5.	Coping stone	Cubic foot.
6.	Cutstone work dressed	Do.
7.	Cut groove stone	Do.
8.	Dowel pins	Each.
9.	Coursed rubble arch work	100 C. feet.
10.	New rough stone work	100 do.
11.	Earthwork	1,000 C. feet.

Barur Head Sluice.

1.	Benching rock	Cubic foot.
2.	Burnt stone surki cement	100 C. feet.
3.	Coursed rubble arch work	100 do.
4.	Pointing with surki cement	100 S. feet.
5.	Cutstone work	Cubic foot.
6.	Burnt stone dressed	Do.
7.	Earthwork	1,000 C. feet.

4. Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit in cash or Government promissory notes as under, and be superscribed with the name of the work tendered for, in default of which tenders will be rejected, viz. :—

	RS.
East half of the anicut	300
Barur head sluice	100

5. All tenders will be opened at the Divisional Office at 12 noon on the date above mentioned in the presence of those who may choose to attend.

6. The Executive Engineer reserves to himself the right of rejecting any or all of the tenders without assigning any reason for so doing.

7. To allow of a guarantee fund being formed on the part of Government a deduction of 10 per cent. from all payments to the contractor will be made by the Executive Engineer at the time of payment.

8. The deposit of the successful competitor will be retained until he executes the contract and such time as the above deduction of 10 per cent. amounts to the sum deposited.

9. The successful competitor will be required to sign a contract bond on a stamped paper at his own expense on the basis of his tender containing penalties for breach of contract on his part.

Coimbatore, 16th June 1886.

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Malabar Collector's Office,
Calicut, 7th June 1886.

RHODES MORGAN,
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RECOVERY OF WRECKS.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 76 of Act VII of 1880, that the undermentioned property has been salvaged within the limits of the Port of Madras, and all claims thereto must be preferred and proved within six months from the date of this notification :—

Description of Articles.	Date of Recovery.	Place of Recovery.
One small anchor with an iron stock weighing 30 lb.	In May 1886 ..	In the sea near Puttapollium.
Do. do. do. 29 lb.		
One grapnel weighing 30 lb.		
One do. (one fluke broken) weighing 26 lb.		
Three and a half fathoms ½" chain		
Two flat iron bars, 15′ × 1″ × ¼″ each	19th do. ..	Within the Madras Harbour.

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Master Attendant's Office, Executive Department,
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నిర్మలమయిన చింకోనా అను జ్వరహర ఔషధము.

గవరన్మెంటు గిడ్డంగిలో యెర్రని చింకోనాపట్ట (Red Cinchona Bark) లోనుండి క్రొత్తగా దక్కపరచి తయారు చేసిన ఔషధము. ఇది శుద్ధిచెయ్యని సాధారణమయిన జ్వరహర ఔషధముకంటే అధిక సంపూర్ణముగా కొయినాకు ప్రత్యామ్నాయముగావున్నది. యీ దిగువ చెప్పివున్న వంతులప్రకారము దీన్ని రొక్కానికే కలకత్తా సమీపమందు సీబ్పూరు రాయల్ బొటానిక్ గార్డన్ సూపరింటెండెంటువద్ద జనోపయోగమయిన ధర్మార్థ కార్యములకుగాను గవరన్మెంటు ఆఫీసర్లున్ను వొక్కొక్కసారికి ౨౦ పౌన్లు అందుకు అధికమునుపుచ్చుకొనే యే మనిషిఅయినానున్ను కొనవచ్చును:—నాలుగు ఔన్సుల తగరపుడబ్బి ఒకటింటికి ౬ రూపాయలు ౮ అణాలు; ఎనిమిది ఔన్సుల తగరపుడబ్బి ఒకటింటికి ౧౨ రూపాయలు ౮ అణాలు; ఒక పౌను తగరపుడబ్బి ఒకటింటికి ౨౪ రూపాయలు. సాధారణముగా జనులకు యీ కించ చెప్పివున్న వంతులప్రకారము దీన్ని రాయల్ బొటానిక్ గార్డన్ సూపరింటెండెంటు రొక్కమునకే సరఫరాచేయగలరు:—నాలుగు ఔన్సుల తగరపుడబ్బి ఒకటింటికి ౮ రూపాయలు ౮ అణాలు; ఎనిమిది ఔన్సుల తగరపుడబ్బి ఒకటింటికి ౧౬ రూపాయలు ౮ అణాలు; ఒక పౌను తగరపుడబ్బి ఒకటింటికి ౩౨ రూపాయలు. ఈ ఔషధమును కలకత్తాలోవున్న ప్రధాన యూరోపియన్ మందులఅంగళ్లవారున్ను స్వదేశ మందులఅంగళ్లవారున్ను అమ్ముతున్నారు. ముందుచెప్పిన వంతులుకాకుండా టపా ఖర్చు - నాలుగు ఔన్సుల తగరపుడబ్బి ఒకటింటికి ౪ అణాలున్ను, ఎనిమిది ఔన్సుల తగరపుడబ్బి ఒకటింటికి ఎనిమిది అణాలున్ను, ఒక పౌను తగరపుడబ్బి ఒకటింటికి ౧౨ అణాలున్ను యివ్వవలసినది.

لال سنکونا کی چھال سے گورنمنٹ فیاکٹوری مین ایک نیا اور زیادہ ھائستگی سے ایجاد کیا گیا نسخہ جو دافع بخار ھی - یہہ ھئی عموما نہین پاك و ھفاف کئے گئے فیب رفیوج یعنے دافع بخار سفوف کی نسبت کرتے کامل طور سے کیناکین کی جائے مین ھی - گورنمنٹ کے آفیسران خاص وعام کو اور لله دینے کے غرض سے خرید کرسکتے ھین اور کوئی بھی کلکتے کے نزدیك واقع ھی سو سیبپور کے رایل بوٹانك گارڈن کے سوپرانٹنڈنٹ کے پاس سے فی پونڈ چوبیس روپئی کے حساب سے بیس پونڈ یا اس سے زیادہ نقد دیکر ایك وقت مول لے سکتا ھی اس نرخون پر یعنے ھرچار اونس کا ڈبہ ٦ روپئی ٨ آنے - ھرایك آٹھ اونس کا ڈبہ ١٢ روپئی ٨ آنے - اور خاص وعام اور بھی بھاری درجے کے یورپین اور ملکی عطار یعنے پنساریان فقط نقد دیکر رایل بوٹانك گارڈن کے سوپرانٹنڈنٹ کے پاس سے بموجب قیمت ذیل یعنے ھرایك چار اونس کا ڈبہ ٨ روپئی ٨ آنے - ھرایك آٹھ اونس کا ڈبہ ١٦ روپئی ٨ آنے - فی پونڈ ٢٣ روپئی کے حساب سے خرید کرسکتے ھین - یہہ دوا کلکتہ مین بڑے بڑے ولایتی اور اس ملك والے پنساریان بھی بیچتے ھین ڈپال کا خرچ ٤ آنے ھرچار اونس کے ڈبہ کو آٹھ آنے ھرآٹھ اونس کے ڈبہ کو اور ١٢ آنے ایك پونڈ کے ڈبہ کو مذکور قیمتون کے سوائے دینا ھی*

VACANCIES.

WANTED immediately an Anicut Superintendent for duty in the Sangam Project Division.
The appointment is a permanent one. Salary Rupees 60 to Rupees 80.
None need apply who have not passed the Overseer's test at the Civil Engineering College, Madras.
Applications, with copies of testimonials, must reach the undersigned on or before the 7th July 1886.

Sangam Project Division Office,
Nellore, 10th June 1886.

A. A. G. MALET,
Executive Engineer.

WANTED immediately a temporary Draftsman for duty in the Sangam Project Division. Salary up to Rupees 40 according to qualifications.
Qualified men only need apply.
Copy of certificate and testimonials to be sent to the undersigned.

Sangam Project Division Office,
Nellore, 16th June 1886.

A. A. G. MALET,
Executive Engineer.

WANTED three Telugu Matriculates for Teacherships in the Hospet Range. Salary of each post Rupees 15 per mensem.
Apply, with copies of testimonials, to the undersigned.

J. VITTALPANT,
Dy. Inspector of Schools, Hospet Range,
Bellary District.

Hospet, 4th June 1886.

UNCOVENANTED CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION.

CIVIL MEDICAL SUBORDINATE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE is hereby given that ten candidates will be entertained for the Junior Department of the Medical College in connection with the Civil Department of the Medical Subordinate Establishment.

2. Candidates must not be below fifteen nor above nineteen years of age, and they must produce testimonials as to character and certificate of age, vaccination, personal marks, and physical fitness for Government service signed by a Commissioned Medical Officer of the British or of the Indian Establishment.

Candidates of all nationalities are eligible for this department, provided they have passed the Middle School Examination in English.

3. Should the number of applications exceed ten, the whole will be subjected to a competitive examination in the English language and translation.

4. Assuming that the number of candidates will exceed ten, applications in the annexed tabular form for admission to this examination (which will be held in any Civil or Military Station of the Madras Presidency, or of Burmah, where they may be a Medical Officer to superintend the candidates), with certificates prescribed in paragraph 2, must be sent to the undersigned on or before the 10th July next.

5. Each application must be superscribed "Application for admission to the Examination for 'Civil Medical Pupils'" and be accompanied with a receipt showing that the examination fee of *Rupees five* has been paid into a Government treasury. This fee will not be refunded, nor will it be reserved for another examination.

6. The examination, which will be conducted by means of printed papers, will be held on Saturday the 14th August next.

7. Successful candidates will be designated "Civil Medical Pupils" and attached for one year to such Civil Hospitals as the Surgeon-General may appoint them on Rupees 7 per mensem for the whole period.

8. During their precollegiate course Civil Medical Pupils will be subject to the periodical examinations prescribed in G.O.C.C., No. 112, of 29th August 1868, viz. :—

First examination at the close of six months—

Subject.—The sensible properties, names, uses, and doses of the more common medicines in the dispensary and elements of Osteology.

Second examination at the close of twelve months—

Subject.—The whole subject of Practical Pharmacy, the reading of prescriptions, and the essentials of Minor Surgery.

At this final examination Civil Medical Pupils will further be required to give proof of their competence to make out correctly the usual Hospital "Returns," in the preparation of which they should be instructed during the last six months of their precollegiate course. The results of these examinations will determine the order of merit according to which lads will be drafted into the Medical School.

9. The course of instruction at the Medical School will extend over three years, and school pay for the entire period will be Rupees 9 per mensem. On completion of the third year of study, on examination, if found qualified for advancement, they will be promoted to the grade of Civil Hospital Assistant and receive the undermentioned salary contingent on successfully passing periodical examinations :—

	Pay. RS.	Charge Allowance.
One to seven years' service	25	Varying from Rupees 10 to Rupees 25 according to circumstances.
Eight to fourteen years' service	35	
Fifteen years and upwards	55	

10. Civil Hospital Assistants will be eligible for leave and pension under the rules applicable to the Uncovenanted Civil Service.

11. Successful candidates will be bound by articles of agreement to serve Government for a period of seven years from date of receiving certificate of qualification from the Medical School.

FORM of APPLICATION for Admission to the Examination for "CIVIL MEDICAL PUPILS."

1	Candidate's house or village name and name *in full* in English.
2	Father's name and house or village name *in full* in English.
3	Father's rank and occupation.
4	Caste of candidate.
5	Age of candidate.
6	Name of school at which educated, or, if privately educated, name of tutor, and when passed the Middle School Examination.
7	Present residence, district, taluk, village; address *in full*.
8	Place at which candidate desires to be examined.
9	What vernacular language does candidate wish to be examined in ?
10	What hospital does he elect to serve in ?
11	Has the candidate forwarded herewith the certificates required in paragraph 2 of the notification dated 7th May 1886 ?

Station and date of application.

Signature of Candidate.

N.B.—If the application be not properly filled up in every respect, it will be returned to the applicant, and his name will not be registered for examination.

(By order.)

Office of Commissioner for the U.C.S. Examinations,
Madras, 7th May 1886.

E. H. ELLIOT,
Secretary.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT OF THE MEDICAL SUBORDINATE ESTABLISHMENT.

NOTICE is hereby given that twenty candidates will be entertained for the Military Department of the Medical Subordinate Establishment.

2. Candidates must not be below sixteen nor above twenty years of age, and they must produce testimonials as to character signed by either Europeans or Natives of respectable position, and certificates of age, vaccination, personal marks, and physical fitness for Military service signed by a Commissioned Medical Officer of the Medical Staff or of the Indian Medical Service.

3. Admission is equally open to the sons of soldiers and of persons engaged in civil occupations; but, other things being equal, the preference will be given to the sons of native commissioned and non-commissioned officers and soldiers.

4. The Middle School Examination will be considered the standard for educational requirements, and candidates who have passed this or any higher test will be eligible to compete. Students who have been dismissed from medical schools for inefficiency or misconduct are not eligible for examination.

5. Should the number of candidates exceed twenty, they will be required to undergo a competitive examination. Assuming that the number of candidates will exceed twenty, applications in the annexed tabular form for admission to this examination (which will be held in any military or civil station of the Madras Presidency or of Burmah where there may be a Medical Officer to superintend the candidates), with the necessary certificates, must be sent to the undersigned on or before the 10th July next.

6. The examination will be held on the 14th August next and will be conducted by means of printed papers. Candidates will have two papers to answer—one a paper on language, the other a paper on translation.

7. Each application must be superscribed "Application for Admission to the Examination for Native Military Pupils" and be accompanied with a receipt showing that the examination fee of *Rupees five* has been paid into a Government treasury.

8. Successful candidates will be designated "Native Military Pupils" and will be sent direct to the Auxiliary Medical School at Rayapuram; they will not be attested or gazetted.

9. They will undergo a collegiate training for three years, after which period, if reported qualified, they will be admitted into the service as "Sub-Hospital Assistants" and after attestation transferred to a Military hospital for duty.

10. The position of Native Military Pupils on the list of Sub-Hospital Assistants will depend on the place taken at the penultimate and final examinations at the Auxiliary Medical School.

11. Native Military Pupils will receive the following monthly rates of pay, which are inclusive of compensation for dearness of provisions :—

	Pay.	Extra Pay for English Qualification.
	RS.	RS.
First year	6	2
Second year	7	2
Third year	8	2

with quarters, clothing, and books and appliances for study. When not provided with free quarters, they will receive the hutting allowance authorized for Havildars.

12. In the event of a "Native Military Pupil" failing to pass the periodical college examinations or misconducting himself, he may be summarily removed by the Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras, and all certificates to which he would otherwise be entitled be withheld.

13. Sub-Hospital Assistants will be required to sign a declaration to the effect that they will serve Government for a period of seven years in the rank of "Hospital Assistants" unless prevented by physical inability from so doing. Should they apply for their discharge before the expiry of this period, they must refund the amount of salary received during their period of service. During peace Hospital Assistants may claim their discharge after a service of seven years.

14. Members of the Hospital Assistant Class will be employed in hospitals of native troops and followers, in lock hospitals, and in staff appointments.

15. The ranks will be—

Senior Hospital Assistant.
Hospital Assistant { First Grade. / Second do. / Third do.
Sub-Hospital Assistant.

16. They will rank below all Native Commissioned Officers and Medical Warrant Officers and above all Native Non-Commissioned Officers.

17. Senior Hospital Assistants who have long, faithful, and honorable service will be eligible for the civil distinction of Bahadur, Rai, Rai Bahadur, &c.

18. The authorized establishment of Senior Hospital Assistants will be 10 per cent. on the total strength of Hospital Assistants.

19. The monthly rates of pay will be—

	Pay of Rank.	Extra Pay for English Qualification.
	RS.	RS.
Senior Hospital Assistant	55	25
Hospital Assistant — First Grade	40	20
Hospital Assistant — Second do.	30	10
Hospital Assistant — Third do.	20	5
Sub-Hospital Assistant	12	4

20. Members of the Hospital Assistant Class travelling on duty, on field or foreign service, in camps of exercise, and during the period they may be in camp on account of sickness amongst troops will receive a field allowance at the following monthly rates :—

	RS.
Senior Hospital Assistant	15
Hospital Assistant — First Grade	10
Hospital Assistant — Second do.	5
Hospital Assistant — Third do.	5
Sub-Hospital Assistant	5

21. Members of the Hospital Assistant Class employed at Port Blair in British Burmah or at Aden will receive field batta and free rations (or compensation in lieu of rations).

22. Any local, horse, and extra allowances will continue to be granted under existing regulations.

23. Members of the Hospital Assistant Class will be provided with free quarters while in cantonments. When not provided with quarters, hutting money under the rules in force will be granted at the rates authorized for Jemadars.

24. Sub-Hospital Assistants will receive clothing or compensation in lieu as at present.

25. On attestation they will receive a grant of Rupees 30 as kit money and an annual allowance of Rupees 4 to aid in keeping it up.

26. All ranks of the Hospital Assistant Class may be allowed leave on full pay for a period not exceeding sixty days in each year. Leave in excess of the above period involves the forfeiture of one-fourth salary and will be limited to six months, except on medical certificate, when an extension of a further period not exceeding six months, on renewed medical certificate, may be granted.

27. Compensation for dearness of provisions under the rules in force is admissible to all members of the Hospital Assistant Class.

28. Donation batta when authorized will be passed at the following monthly rates :—

	RS.
Senior Hospital Assistant	15
Hospital Assistant	10
Sub-Hospital Assistant	10

29. Compensation for losses will be granted at one-and-a-half months' pay excluding the allowance for English qualification.

30. Before he can be advanced to a superior grade, a Hospital Assistant will be required to pass an examination for which he may present himself after a service of four years in each of the lower grades.

31. Promotion from the rank of Sub-Hospital Assistant to that of Hospital Assistant will be made according to seniority, provided the subordinate is reported to be well conducted and in every way efficient.

32. Second and Third Grade Hospital Assistants will be advanced to the First and Second Grades, respectively, after completing a service of five years in the lower grade, provided they are qualified by examination and good conduct.

33. The promotion of First-grade Hospital Assistants to the rank of Senior Hospital Assistant will be made by selection for ability and merit, and this selection will depend on the official reports of their conduct and qualifications.

34. Sub-Hospital Assistants will take rank as such from the date on which they became Passed Medical Pupils.

35. A Hospital Assistant is entitled to retire after a service of thirty years, reckoning from the date of appointment to the rank of Sub-Hospital Assistant, on a pension equal to one-half his average monthly pay during the preceding five years.

36. A Hospital Assistant declared by a Medical Board to be unfit for further duty is entitled to the following monthly rates of invalid pension :—

Over 25 years' service, one-half the average monthly pay during the preceding five years.

Over 15 and under 25 years' service, one-third the average monthly pay during the preceding five years.

37. If invalided on account of intemperance or irregular habits, he will be restricted to a pension equivalent to three-fourths the sum to which he would otherwise have been entitled.

38. A Hospital Assistant invalided on account of wounds or of injuries received on service will receive the following monthly rates of pension :—

Over 25 years' service, the full amount of his average monthly pay during the preceding five years.

Over 15 and under 25 years' service, one-half of his average monthly pay during the preceding five years.

Under 15 years' service, one-third of his average monthly pay during the preceding five years.

39. Retirement will be compulsory at the age of 55 years.

40. Family pension and prize-money will be granted as follows :—

Senior Hospital Assistant, as Jemadar of Infantry.

Hospital Assistant and Sub-Hospital Assistant, as Havildar.

FORM OF APPLICATION for Admission to the Examination for "NATIVE MILITARY PUPILS."

*1	Candidate's house or village name and name *in full* in English.
*2	Father's name and house or village name *in full* in English.
3	Father's rank and occupation.
4	Caste of candidate.
5	Religion of candidate.
6	Present age of candidate.
7	Name of school, where educated, or, if privately educated, the name of tutor, and date of the Middle School Examination.
8	Present residence—district, taluk, village ; address *in full.*
9	Place at which candidate desires to be examined.
10	What vernacular language does candidate talk.
11	Has candidate forwarded herewith the certificates required in paragraph 2 of the notification dated May 1886.

* If the applicant is a Eurasian, the "Christian" name will be given instead of the "house or village name."

Station and date of application.

Signature of Candidate.

N.B.—If the application be not properly filled up in every respect, it will be returned to the applicant, and his name will not be registered for examination.

(By order.)

Office of Commissioner for the U.C.S. Examinations,
Madras, 25th May 1886.

E. H. ELLIOT,
Secretary.

WANTED an F.A. whose optional language is Telugu for the Head Mastership of the First-grade Local Fund Middle School, Gudivada. Salary Rupees 40 per mensem. Preference will be given to trained men.

Apply to the undersigned with testimonials.

V. KAMESWARA ROW,
Dy. Inspector of Schools, Masulipatam Range.

Masulipatam, 11th June 1886.

WANTED an F.A., optional language being Telugu, as Head Master, Local Fund First-grade Middle School, Bapatla, on Rupees 40 per mensem. Apply to the undersigned before the 15th July next, with copies of testimonials and particulars regarding age, caste, and previous employment if any; if already in employment, application should be made with the permission of the employer.

Office of Dy. Inspr. of Schools, Guntur Range,
Guntur, 19th June 1886.

T. SHRINIVASACHARLU,
Deputy Inspector of Schools.

PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

NATIONAL PROVIDENT SOCIETY (REGISTERED).

THE following Resolution was passed at an adjourned Extraordinary General Meeting of Members of the above Society held on Wednesday the 16th June 1886—

"That Mr. C. W. Parr be appointed Liquidator for winding up the Society's affairs."

T. T. JONES,
President and Chairman.

Madras, 23rd June 1886.

THE Administrator to the Estate of the late HENRY EDWARD LEEKE being about to close the accounts of the said Estate, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the Estate which have not been proved and registered, must prefer such claims to Messrs. Arbuthnot and Co. on or before the 20th July 1886, after which date no claims will be received or admitted.

21st June 1886.

per pro. ARBUTHNOT AND CO.,
R. J. H. ARBUTHNOT.

BANK OF MADRAS.

MR. W. W. KENNY has been appointed to act as Agent at Tellicherry during the absence of Mr. E. J. W. Sherman on leave.

(By order of the Directors.)

D. A. J. CROMBIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Madras, 25th June 1886.

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FRIDAY EVENING, JUNE 25, 1886.

LIST OF PASSED CANDIDATES

AT THE

SPECIAL TEST EXAMINATIONS,

1886.

☞ NOTE.—Applications from unsuccessful candidates for information as to the cause of failure cannot be attended to.

LIST OF CANDIDATES DECLARED TO HAVE PASSED THE UNDER

TEST VII-A—TRANSLATION—

Number in Order of Proficiency.	Number in General List.	Register Number of Certificate.	Name of Candidate.	Father's Name.	Age.
					YEARS.
1	2725	5	Muhammad Abdulla	Hakim Ghulam Jilani Khan Sahib.	29
2	2726	6	Ghulam Muhammad Sahib Mohajir.	Ahmed Husain Sahib Mohajir ..	35
3	2724	7	Miyan Jan Sahib	Saiyid Shah Ali Sahib Bahadur ..	25

N.B.—The above candidates have to

TEST VI-B—TRANSLATION—

1	2818	8	Ali Husain	Hakim Ghulam Jilani Khan Sahib.	22
2	2819	9	Mir Saiyid Ali	Mir Husain Ali Khan	20½
3	2814	10	Muhammad Ghazenfer Husain Sahib Mohajir.	Rafath Jang Bahadur ..	22
4	2815	11	Ahmed Kabir Sahib	Muhammad Ghaus Sahib ..	23
5	2817	12	Ghulam Muhiudin Qurishi ..	Maulavi Munshi Hafiz Muhammad Latfullah Sahib Qurishi.	14
6	2820	13	Mir Reazudin	Mir Ansarudin Sahib Bahadur ..	21
7	1710	14	Muhammad Abdul Aziz ..	Muhammad Ghaus Sahib ..	21
8	2816	15	Saiyid Nasirudin Sahib Razavi ..	Saiyid Safdar Husain Sahib Razavi.	22
9	2484	16	Mir Budray Alum	Muhammad Yusuf Sahib ..	24

TEST VII-B—TRANSLATION—

1	56	3	Brundavono Chandro Patnayak ..	Godadhoro Patnayak	22
2	60	4	Raghunath Das	Haribhondu Das	24

Office of the Commissioner for the U.C.S. Examinations,
Madras, 16th June 1886.

MENTIONED SPECIAL TEST EXAMINATIONS HELD IN MAY 1886.

HIGHER GRADE—HINDUSTANI ONLY.

Where examined.	Where educated.	Designation of Office at present held.	Maximum Marks, 160. Marks obtained.	Number in General List.
Madras ..	Presidency College ..	Clerk, Office of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.	148	2725
Do. ..	Do. ..	Head Clerk, Office of the Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras.	136	2726
Do. ..	Madras Christian College ..	Registrar's Office, High Court, Original Side.	133	2724

pass in interpretation *vivâ voce.*

LOWER GRADE—HINDUSTANI ONLY.

			Maximum Marks, 120.	
Madras ..	St. Thomé Seminary ..	*Nil*	105	2818
Do. ..	Harris High School ..	Clerk, Police Commissioner's Office, Madras.	94	2819
Do. ..	Wesleyan Mission High School, Royapettah.	Sub. *pro tem.* Clerk, Revenue Board Office.	92	2814
Do. ..	Harris High School ..	Clerk, Office of the Persian and Hindustani Translator to Government.	90	2815
Do. ..	Madrasa-i-Azam	Student	85	2817
Do. ..	Madras Christian College ..	Do.	79	2820
Trichinopoly.	Government Muhammadan School, Trichinopoly.	Clerk, District Board's Office, Trichinopoly.	78	1710
Madras ..	Wesleyan Mission High School, Royapettah.	Clerk, Current Department, Revenue Board Office.	76	2816
Do. ..	Madras Christian College ..	*Nil*	72	2484

LOWER GRADE—URIYA.

Berhampore ..	Berhampore College ..	Head Master, Grant-in-Aid Middle School, Mandasa.	78	56
Do. ..	Do. ..	Head Master, Government Normal School, Russellkonda.	65	60

(By order.)

E. H. ELLIOT,
Secretary.

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OFFICIAL PAPERS.

MADRAS RAILWAY.

WEIGHT of GOODS carried on the MADRAS RAILWAY during the month of April 1886 and 1885.

Main Head.	Sub-head.	Outwards, 1886.	Outwards, 1885.	Over.	Under.
		Maunds.	Maunds.	Maunds.	Maunds.
Coal and coke ..	......	7,872	7,018	854	..
Cotton	Raw	222	85	137	..
	Pressed	6,667	4,361	2,306	..
	Unpressed	16,786	7,315	9,471	..
	Twist and yarn (European) ..	8,013	7,152	861	..
	Do. (Indian)	6,563	6,243	320	..
	Piece-goods (European) in bales ..	5,304	2,736	2,568	..
	Do. (do.) in boxes ..	2,011	1,920	91	..
	Do. (Indian) in bales ..	3,368	2,674	694	..
	Do. (do.) in boxes ..	8,356	5,991	2,365	..
Drugs and chemicals ..	Intoxicating other than opium ..	281	262	19	..
	Not intoxicating	587	982	..	395
	Cinchona	15	13	2	..
	Others	625	624	1	..
Dyes and tans ..	Indigo	833	1,358	..	525
	Myrobalans	3,636	4,290	..	654
	Aniline dyes	..	..	..	..
	Dye or redwood	12,389	9,176	3,213	..
	Bark (tanning)	23,308	32,383	..	9,075
	Others	34,398	17,833	16,565	..
Grain	Wheat	13,076	10,918	2,158	..
	Rice	160,361	174,249	..	13,888
	Cholum and cumboo	10,632	10,186	446	..
	Gram	65,526	56,361	9,165	..
	Ragi	29,714	24,451	5,263	..
	Others	63,188	95,523	..	32,335
Hides and skins ..	Hides of cattle	4,481	3,154	1,327	..
	Skins of sheep, &c.	42,111	36,341	5,770	..
Horns	......	150	256	..	106
Jute	Raw	311	210	101	..
	Gunny bags and cloth	11,661	13,105	..	1,444
Lac	Stick	136	81	55	..
	Shell	5	6	..	1
Leather, manufactured.	......	1,199	781	415	..
Liquors	Beer	7,196	1,802	5,394	..
	Wines	2,293	2,368	..	75
	Spirits	8,046	6,945	1,101	..
Metals	Copper, unwrought	784	895	..	111
	Iron	24,876	34,899	..	10,023
	Tin	215	341	..	126
	Others	3,718	4,047	..	329
Oils	Castor	7,094	5,130	1,964	..
	Kerosene	3,164	6,435	..	3,271
	Others	12,561	13,649	..	1,088
Oil seeds	Linseed	5,588	1,609	3,979	..
	Mustard and rape	163	129	34	..
	Til or gingelly	13,983	5,886	8,097	..
	Castor	12,952	4,403	8,549	..
	Others	49,958	66,286	..	16,328
Opium	......	..	15	..	15
Paper and paste-board ..	......	585	143	442	..
Provisions	Ghee	5,425	3,171	2,254	..
	Cocoanuts	14,155	11,198	2,957	..
	Betel-nuts	16,839	14,908	1,931	..
	Vegetables	25,441	21,508	3,933	..
	Others	75,144	72,014	3,130	..

WEIGHT of GOODS carried on the MADRAS RAILWAY during the month of April 1886 and 1885—(*Cont.*).

Main Head.	Sub-head.	Outwards, 1886.	Outwards, 1885.	Over.	Under.
		Maunds.	Maunds.	Maunds.	Maunds.
Railway plant and rolling stock.	......	24,493	15,054	9,439	..
Salt	......	107,998	134,236	..	26,238
Saltpetre	......	922	1,016	..	94
Silk	Raw	28	96	..	68
	Foreign	74	..	74	..
	Indian	86	..	86	..
	Piece-goods (Foreign)	..	6	..	6
	Do. (Indian)	116	21	95	..
Spices	......	5,904	9,754	..	3,850
Sugar	Drained	10,578	8,033	2,545	..
	Undrained	111,392	49,213	62,179	..
Stone and lime	......	16,572	32,575	..	16,003
Tea	Foreign	1	3	..	2
	Indian	459	1,075	..	616
Wood	Timber	58,916	92,758	..	33,842
	Firewood	55,692	51,471	4,221	..
Tobacco	......	20,971	24,076	..	3,105
Umbrellas	......	137	89	48	..
Wool	Raw	71	50	21	..
	Piece-goods (European)	8	..	8	..
	Do. (Indian)	1,292	2,135	..	843
	Shawls	..	..	..	..
Coffee	......	27,536	35,417	..	7,881
Manures	Bones	2,469	2,206	263	..
	Oil-cakes	6,532	4,960	1,572	..
Government stores	Military baggage	177	79	98	..
	Commissariat stores	2,606	1,507	1,099	..
	Ordnance stores	1,246	1,470	..	224
All other articles of merchandise.	Unmanufactured	23,459	34,796	..	11,337
	Manufactured	2,592	1,987	605	..
	Combustibles	1,434	1,010	424	..
	Others	42,812	36,394	6,418	..
	Total ..	1,360,538	1,357,309	197,127	193,898

Traffic Manager's Office, Madras,
14th June 1886.

H. E. CHURCH,
Traffic Manager.

No. A $\frac{\text{644 A and M.}}{\text{9749.}}$

MADRAS RAILWAY, TRAFFIC MANAGER'S OFFICE,
MADRAS, 14*th June* 1886.

THE ACTING AGENT AND MANAGER,
Rayapuram.

DEAR SIR,

Goods Traffic for April 1886.

The accompanying statement shows the weight of the different commodities composing the goods traffic for April 1886 compared with the corresponding month of 1885:—

	MAUNDS.
April 1886	1,360,538
Do. 1885	1,357,309
Increase	3,229

2. The following commodities show a fluctuation of 2,000 maunds and upwards:—

Increase.

	MAUNDS.
Cotton, Raw	11,914
Cotton (manufactured)	6,899
Dyes and tans	9,524
Hides and skins	7,097
Liquors	6,420
Oil seeds	4,331
Provisions	14,205
Railway plant and rolling stock	9,439
Sugar	64,724

Decrease.

	MAUNDS.
Grain	29,191
Metals	9,488
Oils	2,395
Salt	26,238
Spices	3,850
Stone and lime	16,003
Wood	29,621
Tobacco	3,105
Coffee	7,881
All other articles of Merchandise	3,890

COTTON, RAW.

Increase .. .. 11,914 maunds.

Larger imports of *pressed* and *unpressed* at Madras from the Bellary District. Larger imports of *unpressed* at Cuddapah from the Bellary District and larger intra-district movements in Bellary.

COTTON, MANUFACTURED.

Increase .. .. 6,899 maunds.

Larger imports of *piece-goods* (*European in bales*) at Coimbatore and Mysore from Madras; larger imports at Bellary from the Great Indian Peninsula Railway and larger intra-district movements in the Bellary and Coimbatore Districts. Larger imports of *piece-goods* (*Indian in boxes*) at Mysore and Coimbatore from Madras, and larger exports from the Cuddapah and Bellary Districts to the Southern Mahratta Railway.

DYES AND TANS.

Increase .. .. 9,524 maunds.

Larger imports of *dye or redwood* at Madras from the Cuddapah District. Larger imports of *others* at Madras from the Cuddapah and Coimbatore Districts, and at Malabar from the Salem and Coimbatore Districts. Smaller imports of *bark for tanning* at Madras from the Bellary and Cuddapah Districts and Great Indian Peninsula Railway, but larger imports from Mysore and the Southern Mahratta Railway.

HIDES AND SKINS.

Increase .. .. 7,097 maunds.

Larger imports of *skins* at Madras from Railways North of Raichur, but smaller imports from Mysore, North Arcot, and Bellary Districts.

LIQUORS.

Increase .. .. 6,420 maunds.

Larger exports of *beer* from Mettupalaiyam to the Great Indian Peninsula Railway.

OILS SEEDS.

Increase .. .. 4,331 maunds.

Larger exports of *linseed* from the Bellary District to the Great Indian Peninsula Railway. Larger imports of *til* or *gingelly* at Madras from the Cuddapah and Mysore Districts, and larger exports from the Salem and Coimbatore Districts to South Indian Railway. Larger imports of *castor* at Madras from the Bellary, Salem, and Cuddapah Districts. Smaller imports of *others* at Madras from North Arcot District, and larger exports from Salem to South Indian Railway.

PROVISIONS.

Increase .. .. 14,205 maunds.

Larger exports of *ghee* from the Salem and Cuddapah Districts to Great Indian Peninsula Railway, and larger imports at Madras from Salem. Larger imports of *cocoanuts* at Bellary from Madras, Malabar, and North Arcot; and larger exports from Malabar to the Nizam's Dominions. Larger imports of *vegetables* at Madras from the Bellary and Mysore Districts; larger exports from Salem to South Indian Railway, and larger intra-district movements in Cuddapah. Larger imports of *others* at Coimbatore from South Indian Railway, and larger intra-district movements in Coimbatore, and larger imports at Malabar from Coimbatore.

RAILWAY PLANT AND ROLLING STOCK.

Increase .. .. 9,439 maunds.

Larger despatches from Madras to the Bellary District.

SUGAR.

Increase .. .. 64,724 maunds.

Larger imports of *drained* at Malabar from the Mysore territory. Larger imports of *undrained* at Madras from the Coimbatore, Mysore, Salem, and Bellary Districts; and larger imports at Malabar from the Mysore, North Arcot, and Salem Districts.

GRAIN.

Decrease .. .. 29,191 maunds.

Larger imports of *wheat* at Madras from Bellary and the Southern Mahratta Railway, and larger imports at Mysore from Southern Mahratta Railway. Smaller imports of *rice* at Madras from Chingleput and North Arcot; smaller imports at Coimbatore from North Arcot, but larger imports from Salem; smaller exports to the Great Indian Peninsula Railway from North Arcot, but larger imports at Malabar from North Arcot and South Indian Railway, and larger imports at Bellary from North Arcot. Larger imports of *gram* from Coimbatore, but smaller from Salem; larger imports at Mysore from Salem and Madras, and larger imports at Cuddapah from Bellary. Larger imports of *raggi* at Salem from Mysore and South Indian Railway. Smaller imports of *others* at Bellary from the Great Indian Peninsula Railway; smaller imports at Mysore from Salem and Madras; smaller imports at Coimbatore from North Arcot, Salem, and Malabar, and smaller imports at Salem from Madras, and smaller intra-district movements in Salem.

METALS.

Decrease .. .. 9,488 maunds.

Smaller imports of *iron* at Mysore, Bellary, Coimbatore, and North Arcot from Madras, and smaller imports at Coimbatore from Malabar.

OILS.

Decrease .. .. 2,395 maunds.

Smaller imports of *kerosene* at Mysore from Malabar.

SALT.

Decrease .. .. 26,238 maunds.

Smaller exports from Madras to North Arcot, Bellary, Mysore, Coimbatore, Cuddapah and Salem, but larger imports at Coimbatore and Salem from Malabar.

SPICES.

Decrease .. .. 3,850 maunds.

Smaller intra-district movements in Malabar, and smaller imports at Mysore from North Arcot.

STONE AND LIME.

Decrease .. .. 16,003 maunds.

Smaller imports of *stone* at Madras from North Arcot, and smaller intra-district movements in the Bellary District.

WOOD.

Decrease .. .. 29,621 maunds.

Smaller exports of *timber* from Malabar to South Indian Railway; smaller imports at Bellary from Madras and Malabar, and smaller intra-district movements in the Bellary District; smaller imports at North Arcot from Malabar and Cuddapah, and smaller imports at Madras from the Cuddapah and Malabar Districts. Larger imports of *firewood* at Mysore and larger intra-district movements in Mysore.

TOBACCO.

Decrease .. .. 3,105 maunds.

Smaller imports at Bellary from the Great Indian Peninsula Railway, and smaller intra-district movements in Malabar.

COFFEE.

Decrease .. .. 7,881 maunds.

Smaller imports of *clean* at Malabar from Coimbatore, and smaller intra-district movements of *parchment* in the Coimbatore District.

ALL OTHER ARTICLES OF MERCHANDISE.

Decrease .. .. 3,890 maunds.

Smaller imports of *laterite* at Madras from Chingleput District.

Yours faithfully,

H. E. CHURCH,
Traffic Manager.

(True Copy.)

J. W. MELLIS,
for *Ag. Agent and Manager.*

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METEOROLOGICAL RESULTS.

METEOROLOGICAL RESULTS from the MADRAS OBSERVATORY REGISTER.

1886.		Barometer reduced to 32°.	Thermometers. Corrected Daily Means.		Thermometers. Observed Extremes.		Maximum Solar Heat in Vacuo.	Humidity.	Wind.		Depth of Rain.	Clear Sky.	General Weather.
			Dry.	Wet.	Max.	Min.			Prevailing Direction.	Daily Velocity.			
June.		Inches.	°	°	°	°	°	Cts.	Points.	Miles.	Inches	Cts.	
17th.	Thurs. ..	29·605	86·4	76·5	94·7	79·2	134·2	62	S.W. by W.	267	..	40	Passing clouds.
18th.	Fri. ..	29·605	86·2	78·2	96·3	80·0	145·9	68	S.W.	212	..	52	Do.
19th.	Sat. ..	29·671	85·1	78·0	96·8	80·3	143·3	72	S.W. by W.	206	0·06	43	Do.
20th.	Sun. ..	29·705	82·7	77·8	86·5	78·3	100·5	79	S.W.	91	..	2	Cloudy.
21st.	Mon ..	29·724	84·1	78·9	96·2	78·6	141·5	79	Var.	142	0·57	40	Rain at 6 P.M. and midnight.
22nd.	Tues. ..	29·745	83·2	78·2	95·6	75·2	141·1	79	S. by E.	107	0·60	37	Passing clouds.
23rd.	Wed. ..	29·751	84·7	77·9	96·2	78·5	139·5	73	S.S.W.	132	..	73	Do.

The Standard Barometer and Thermometers are read at 10 A.M., 4 P.M., and 10 P.M., and the daily means are obtained by the application of hourly corrections, deduced from twenty years' observations. The cistern of the Barometer is twenty-two feet above the level of the sea, and the receiver of the Rain Gauge is two feet from the ground. The wind and rain registered are for the current Civil Day—from midnight to midnight.

The total quantity of rain collected since January 1st is 13·42 inches, the average due for the same period being 6·10 inches.

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MUNICIPALITY OF MADRAS.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS within the MUNICIPALITY of the CITY of MADRAS, reported from 12th to 18th June 1886.

		1st.		2nd.		3rd.		4th.		5th.		6th.		7th.		8th.		Total.					
Municipal Divisions		1st.		2nd.		3rd.		4th.		5th.		6th.		7th.		8th.		Total.					
Area		5·31.		1·02.		0·91.		3·88.		2·81.		4·16.		2·19.		6·54.		26·82.					
Population		63,344.		77,497.		52,443.		10,793.		66,655.		19,010.		71,095.		37,940.		398,777.					
Villages		Minatchiammanpet, Rayapuram, Attapaliam, Vurdanchery, Cassimode, Sanjivirayanpet, Tondiarpet, Old Washermanpet, New Washermanpet, Jaindrapet, Kosapet, and Korukupet.		Peddunaickpet, Big Parcherry, and John Pereira's Garden.		Muthyalpet, Attapaliam, and Fort St. George.		Gunpowder Mills, Perambur, Vyasarpady, and Irunkundram.		Viranantotam, Choolay, Vepery, Pursewaukum, Perumalpet, Kosapet, Oobrapaliam, Narrainpaliam, Maskelyntotum, Rosspet, Peryamettu, Egmore, Komaleswaranpet, and Pudupet.		Nummalwarpet, Madavaukum, Kilpaukum, Chetput, Mannarsami Kovil, Mackay's Garden, and Nungumbaukum.		Pudupaukum, Chintadrepet, Narasingapuram, Chepauk, Teruvateswarenpet, and Triplicane.		Kistnampet, St. Thomé, Mirsaibpet, Kosapet, Rayapet, Pudupet, Luz, Teynampet, Adyar, Robertsonpet, Bimanapet, Murugampet, and Alvarpet.		Total.		Ratio per Mille per Annum	Mean of ten previous Years.		Ratio per Mille per Annum.
		M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.	
BIRTHS. Alive.	Europeans .. (Christians)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	2	1	45·2	9·8	11·2	27·9
	East Indians .. (Christians)	..	1	1	1	..	4	..	..	1	1	..	..	2	3	..	1	4	11				
	Native Christians (Christians)	1	4	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	1	2	..	3	13				
	Hindus	19	27	23	21	16	7	6	1	23	13	4	5	29	28	14	21	134	123	43·0	127·1	112·5	40·1
	Muhammadans	1	2	2	..	8	2	1	3	1	..	..	..	11	7	5	2	29	16	47·3	14·0	17·8	33·4
	Total ..	21	34	26	24	24	14	7	4	25	19	6	6	42	39	21	24	172	164	43·7	150·9	140·5	37·9
Still-born.	Europeans .. (Christians)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	0·3	0·5	1·0
	East Indians .. (Christians)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..				
	Native Christians (Christians)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..				
	Hindus	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	1	0·5	3·8	2·1	1·0
	Muhammadans	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	2·1	0·4	0·3	0·7
	Total ..	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	4	1	0·6	4·5	2·9	0·9
Total.	Europeans .. (Christians)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	2	1	45·2	10·1	11·7	28·9
	East Indians .. (Christians)	..	1	1	1	..	4	..	..	1	1	..	..	2	3	..	1	4	11				
	Native Christians (Christians)	1	4	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	1	2	..	3	13				
	Hindus	19	27	23	22	17	7	6	1	23	13	4	5	29	28	15	21	136	124	43·5	130·9	114·6	41·1
	Muhammadans	1	2	2	..	9	2	1	3	1	..	..	..	12	7	5	2	31	16	49·4	14·4	18·1	34·1
	Total ..	21	34	26	25	26	14	7	4	25	19	6	6	43	39	22	24	176	165	44·4	155·4	143·4	38·8
	Total of Males and Females ..	55		51		40		11		44		12		82		46		341		..	298·8		..
	Ratio per Mille per Annum ..	45·1		34·2		39·6		52·9		34·3		32·8		39·9		63·0		44·4		..	38·8		..
DEATHS.	Small-pox	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5·0	6·3	1·4
	Measles	..	1	2	..	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	4	3	0·9	0·7	0·6	0·1
	Fevers	8	4	7	8	5	5	..	1	3	4	..	..	6	6	3	6	32	34	8·6	29·7	29·4	7·7
	Dysentery	1	2	1	..	1	3	1	..	1	2	1	1	1	1	2	3	9	12	2·7	8·5	8·1	2·1
	Diarrhœa	2	2	3	3	1	1	..	1	..	2	..	1	..	1	..	5	6	16	2·8	5·9	8·3	1·8
	Cholera	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1·7	1·9	0·4
	Other Diseases	12	9	15	12	7	9	4	4	13	3	4	..	18	16	7	3	80	56	17·7	72·6	69·2	18·4
	Total ..	23	18	28	23	15	19	5	6	18	11	5	2	25	25	12	17	131	121	32·8	124·1	123·8	32·3
	Total of Males and Females ..	41		51		34		11		29		7		50		29		252		..	247·9		..
	Ratio per Mille per Annum ..	33·6		34·2		33·7		52·9		22·6		19·1		36·5		39·7		32·8		..	32·3		..
	Number Buried ..	33		35		26		11		25		7		38		22		197		252			
	Number Burned ..	8		16		8		..		4		..		12		7		55					

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS within the MUNICIPALITY of the CITY of MADRAS, reported from 12th to 18th June 1886—(*Continued*).

			Christians.							Hindus.			Muhammadans.			Total.		
		Population of each Class	39,094.							310,279.			49,404.			398,777.		
			Europeans.		East Indians.		Native Christians.		Ratio per Mille per Annum.			Ratio per Mille per Annum.			Ratio per Mille per Annum.			Ratio per Mille per Annum.
Class.	Order.		M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.		M.	F.		M.	F.	
I.		GENERAL DISEASES.																
		Sub-Division A	1	..	..	..	1	1	3·9	33	32	10·9	2	5	7·3	37	38	9·8
		" B	..	..	..	1	..	..	1·3	13	7	3·3	1	2	3·1	14	10	3·1
II.		LOCAL DISEASES.																
	1	Disease of the Nervous System	..	1	3	..	..	3	9·2	25	16	6·9	..	1	1·0	28	21	6·4
	2	" Eye	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	3	" Ear	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	4	" Nose	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	5	" Circulatory System	..	..	1	..	..	..	1·3	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	0·1
	6	" Absorbent	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	7	" Ductless Glands	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	8	" Respiratory System	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	2	1·0	1	..	1·0	5	2	0·9
	9	" Digestive "	..	..	1	..	2	1	5·3	14	27	6·9	1	..	1·0	18	28	6·0
	10	" Urinary "	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	0·1	..	..	..	1	..	0·1
	11	" Generative "	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	0·5	..	..	..	..	3	0·4
	12	" Organs of Locomotion	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	13	" Cellular Tissue	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	0·1	..	..	..	..	1	0·1
	14	" Cutaneous System	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	3	1·3	..	..	..	5	3	1·0
III.		CONDITIONS, &c.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	5	1·3	4	2	6·3	7	7	1·8
		Debility	..	..	..	..	..	1	1·3	8	4	2·0	3	1	4·2	11	6	2·2
IV.		POISONS	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	0·1	..	..	..	1	..	0·1
V.		INJURIES.																
	1	Battle	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	2	Accidental	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	0·1	1	..	1·0	2	..	0·2
	3	Homicidal	..	..	..	1	..	..	1·3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	0·1
	4	Self-inflicted	1	..	..	..	..	..	1·3	..	1	0·1	..	..	..	1	1	0·2
	5	Judicial	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
VI.		SURGICAL OPERATIONS	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
		No appreciable Diseases	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
		Total ..	2	1	5	2	3	6	25·2	108	101	35·0	13	11	25·2	131	121	32·8
		Average of the corresponding weeks for ten previous years ..	9·3		10·5				26·3	101·6	95·3	32·9	13·2	18·0	32·8	124·1	123·8	32·3

Amongst these Births and Deaths are registered the following in the Institutions named below:—

	BIRTHS.	DEATHS.
Monegar Hospital, including the Native Infirmary, Leper Hospital, and Ramasawmy's Lying-in Hospital	8	10
General Hospital, including the Regimental and European Detail Hospitals ..	..	3
Lying-in Hospital	26	1
Lunatic Asylum	..	1
Royapettah Hospital	..	1
Total ..	34	16

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Health Officer, Municipal Commission.

Municipal Office, Madras, 24th June 1886.

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Part I-A.—Notifications under the Madras Local Boards and Municipal Acts.

Ootacamund, June 23, 1886.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 186.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 11 of the Madras Local Boards Act, 1884, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the undermentioned gentlemen to be Members of the District Boards specified below :—

SALEM.

M.R.Ry. M. Thumman Singh Avargal, M.D., Rao Sahib, Assistant Surgeon, Salem, *vice* Dr. J. Kernan, who left the district.

M.R.Ry. Polama Reddiar Avargal, Rao Sahib, *vice* M.R.Ry. Venkatarama Reddiar Avargal, Rao Sahib, resigned.

GODAVARI.

Major S. C. Clarke, R.E., Superintending Engineer, First Circle.

M.R.Ry. R. Sundarappa Garu, Rao Sahib.

M.R.Ry. Sri Rajah Kakarlapudi Ramachendraraju Bahadur Garu, Rao Sahib.

M.R.Ry. A. Ramiah Garu, Rao Sahib.

M.R.Ry. I. Narasiah Garu, Rao Sahib.

M.R.Ry. Y. Katchepeswara Sastrulu Garu, Rao Sahib.

M.R.Ry. M. Ramanna Garu, Rao Sahib.

M.R.Ry. Sri Mirja Nallaparaju Venkatapathiraju Garu, Rao Sahib.

M.R.Ry. Sri Rajah Chelikaniswamirayunim Garu, Rao Sahib.

M.R.Ry. A. Joganna Garu, Rao Sahib.

No. 187.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 11 of the Madras Local Boards Act, 1884, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to re-appoint the undermentioned gentleman to be a Member of the District Board of South Canara :—

Mr. R. S. Noronha, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Southern Range.

No. 188.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 16 of the Madras Local Boards Act, 1884, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the undermentioned gentleman to be a Member of the following Taluk Board of the District of Tanjore :—

PATUKOTA.

M.R.Ry. M. Seshappier Avargal.

No. 189.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 20 of the Madras Local Boards Act, 1884, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the undermentioned gentleman to be Vice-President of the District Board of Kistna :—

M.R.Ry. K. Venkatachelam Pantulu Garu, Rao Bahadur, Temporary Deputy Collector, *vice* M.R.Ry. Ch. Venkatachelam Pantulu Garu, Rao Bahadur, resigned.

No. 190.—In exercise of the power conferred on him by section 10 of the Madras District Municipalities Act, 1884, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the undermentioned gentlemen to be Municipal Councillors for the Municipalities specified below :—

COCANADA.

Dr. Boon, District Surgeon.

MANGALORE.

Captain G. W. Wicks, Port and Customs Officer.

CANNANORE.

Major C. W. Walker, Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel E. Austin, resigned.

No. 191.—The Right Honorable the Governor in Council approves, under section 14 of the Madras District Municipalities Act, 1884, of the appointment by election of the undermentioned gentleman to be the Chairman of the Municipal Council of the Municipality specified below :—

ADONI.

M.R.Ry. D. Ananthyya Garu, Rao Bahadur.

Ootacamund, June 21, 1886.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 192.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section 2 of section 4 of the Madras District Municipalities Act, 1884, His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to cancel the notification published at page 677, Part I of the *Fort St. George Gazette* for 9th October 1885, constituting the municipality of Srivilliputur. The municipal council will be dissolved accordingly, and all municipal property now in the possession of the council will be made over to the panchayat of the Srivilliputur union.

No. 193.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 6 of the Madras Local Boards Act, 1884, His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to declare the villages in the Tinnevelly District, specified in the annexed schedule, to be an union for the purposes of the said Act, and to direct that the provisions of the said Act regarding panchayats shall come into force in the said union from the date of this notification.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 122 of the aforesaid Act, His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the maximum number of members to be appointed for the panchayat of the said union shall, for the time being, be as shown in the aforesaid schedule, and that they shall all, with the exception of *ex-officio* members, be appointed by the Governor in Council.

SCHEDULE.

Government Taluk.	Local Fund Union.	Government Villages comprised in the Union.	Maximum Number of Members.
Srivilliputur.	Srivilliputur.	Srivilliputur. Vadaku Srivilliputur. Arachipatti. Ponnangani. Singammalpuram. Venkateswarapuram. Madavarvilagam. Kurukkalkulam. Attikulam Shengulam.	14

ACQUISITION OF LAND.

Under the provisions of section 443 of Act I of 1884 (The City of Madras Municipal Act) and of section 6 of Act X of 1870, His Excellency the Governor in Council of Fort St. George declares that the land in the schedule hereto annexed, situated within the limits of the City of Madras, containing in all 5,544·05 square feet, and now in possession of persons shown in column 7, be the same a little more or less, are needed for a public purpose, viz., for the widening of Aundeappa Naick and Anna Pillay Streets, in connection with the surface drainage of Black Town, Madras :—

SCHEDULE.

District.	Locality.	Street.	Description of Land.	Survey No.	Extent required for public purposes.	Names of Persons in possession.	Boundaries.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			HOUSE-SITE NO.		SQ. FT.		
City of Madras.	Black Town.	Aundeappa Naick Street.	191	4972	202·66	Chengalvaroya Chetty and Veerabudra Chetty.	North by survey No. 4972, South by municipal land north of Aundeappa Naick Street, East by vacant land, and West by municipal land east of Govindappa Naick Street.
			131	4217	173·33	T. Veerasawmy Aucharry	North by survey No. 4217, South by municipal land north of Aundeappa Naick Street, East by survey No. 4216, and West by vacant land.
			132	4216	262·50	Venkatasawmy Chetty ..	North by survey No. 4216, South by municipal land north of Aundeappa Naick Street, East by Survey No. 4215, and West by survey No. 4217.
			133	4215	295·77	Venkatarungam Chetty.	North by survey No. 4215, South by municipal land north of Aundeappa Naick Street, East by survey No. 4214, and West by survey No. 4216.
			134	4214	131·25	Soma Ragammah ..	North by survey No. 4214, South by municipal land north of Aundeappa Naick Street, East by vacant land, and West by survey No. 4215.
			57-58	..	109·69	Athungi Alwar Chetty ..	North by premises No. 57-58, South by municipal land north of Aundeappa Naick Street, East by vacant land, and West by municipal land east of Vurdamoothiappen Street.
			138	5125	256·00	M. Strinivasa Pillay and M. Vasudava Pillay.	North by survey No. 5125, South by municipal land north of Aundeappa Naick Street, East by survey No. 5126 and vacant land, and West by vacant land.

District.	Locality.	Street.	Description of Land.	Survey No.	Extent required for public purposes.	Names of Persons in possession.	Boundaries.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			HOUSE-SITE NO.		SQ. FT.		
City of Madras.	Black Town.	Aundeappa Naick Street.	139	5126	58·75	Venkataramasawmy Chetty.	North by survey No. 5126, South by Aundeappa Naick Street, East by municipal land, and West by survey No. 5125.
			62	3286	440·78	P. Kishnappa Chetty ..	North by Aundeappa Naick Street, South by survey No. 3286, East by municipal land and survey No. 3287, and West by municipal land east of Vurdamoothiappen Street.
			6	3287	200·25	C. V. Cunniah Chetty Garoo.	North by municipal land south of Aundeappa Naick Street, South by survey No. 3287, East by municipal land and survey No. 3287, and West by survey No. 3286.
			5	3287	178·50	Do. ..	North by municipal land south of Aundeappa Naick Street, South by survey No. 3287, East by survey No. 3288, and West by survey No. 3287.
			4	3288	413·00	Capal Abboy Chetty ..	North by Aundeappa Naick Street, South by survey No. 3288, East by survey No. 3289, and West by survey No. 3287 and municipal land.
			3	3289	210·37	C. V. Cunniah Chetty Garoo.	North by Aundeappa Naick Street, South by survey No. 3289, East by open land, and West by survey No. 3288.
		Anna Pillay Street.	128	5132	48·00	D. G. Ravamoney ..	North by survey No. 5132, South by municipal land north of Anna Pillay Street, East by vacant land, and West by municipal land.
			136	5140	13·50	Thumboogooroocal ..	North by survey No. 5140, South by municipal land north of Anna Pillay Street, East by Anna Pillay Street, and West by vacant land.
			138	5142	38·50	Kishnasawmy Chetty ..	North by survey No. 5142, South by municipal land north of Anna Pillay Street, East by survey No. 5143 and municipal land, and West by Cundappa Chetty Street.
			139	5143	55·00	Yagappa Chetty ..	North by survey No. 5143, South by municipal land north of Anna Pillay Street, East by municipal land, and West by survey No. 5142 and municipal land.
			141	5145	120·00	Narayanasawmy Chetty.	North by survey No. 5145, South by municipal land north of Anna Pillay Street, East by survey No. 5146, and West by municipal land.
			142	5146	84·00	Kishnasawmy Chetty ..	North by survey No. 5146, South by Anna Pillay Street, East by Anna Pillay Street, and West by survey No. 5145.
			10	3293	802·00	Rachusla Soobbiah Naidoo.	North by Anna Pillay Street, South by survey No. 3293, East by municipal land west of Soonkowar Agraram Street, and West by way to Cuttawal Bazaar.
			9	3302	186·75	Athungi Vardappa Chetty.	North by municipal land south of Anna Pillay Street, South by survey No. 3302, East by survey No. 3303, and West by Soonkowar Agraram Street.
			8	3303	202·50	P. Theroovangadathan Chetty, C. Authinarayanah Iyah and Soondramammal.	North by municipal land south of Anna Pillay Street, South by survey No. 3303, East by survey No. 3304, and West by survey No. 3302.
			7	3304	252·00	Mungammal, Authiammal and Lutchumiah Chetty.	North by municipal land south of Anna Pillay Street, South by survey No. 3304, East by municipal land and survey No. 3305, and West by survey No. 3303.
			6	3305	134·33	Narasimha Charry ..	North by municipal land south of Anna Pillay Street, South by survey No. 3305, East by survey No. 3306, and West by survey No. 3304.
			5	3306	162·75	C. V. Cunniah Chetty Garoo.	North by municipal land south of Anna Pillay Street, South by survey No. 3306, East by survey No. 3307, and West by survey No. 3305.
			4a	3307	182·00	Do. ..	North by municipal land south of Anna Pillay Street, South by survey No. 3307, East by survey No. 3307, and West by survey No. 3306.
			4	3307	329·87	Capal Soobroyaloo Chetty and wife Rookoomaniammal.	North by municipal land south of Anna Pillay Street, South by survey No. 3307, East by Malaya Perumal Street, and West by survey No. 3307.

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